

ATTEMPT TO INVADENGLAND THOUGHT NEAR

DRAFT SPONSORS PREDICT DEFEAT OF SUBSTITUTES

Bill to Permit FDR to Mobilize Guard is Making Progress

Washington, Aug. 13.—(AP)—Brig. Gen. William E. Shedd said today that the amount of time required by congress to consider conscription legislation had brought about a postponement of war department plans to have 900,000 men in uniform early this fall.

The department now plans to have 900,000 men in uniform by January 1, Shedd said, "and even that is an optimistic program".

The Assistant Chief of Staff in charge of personnel appeared before the house military committee as the senate began its third day of debate on the Burke-Wadsworth compulsory service bill under which men between 21 and 30, inclusive, would be required to register for service.

The army schedule had called for registration in September and for 400,000 conscripts called to the colors October 1. Shedd did not touch upon any new time for registration but testified that the fact conscription legislation had not been approved, together with its necessary appropriations, had necessitated revision of the program.

His outline of the program showed that the army included regular soldiers, volunteers and conscript trainees in the 900,000 troops. Legislation for calling up the National Guard and other reserve categories for training and use anywhere in this hemisphere has been passed by the senate and approved by the house military committee yesterday.

Guard Bill Pressed

It won legislative right of way to the house floor from the rules committee today.

The senate military committee, meanwhile, decided to invite Governor Herbert H. Lehman of New York to testify Thursday on his plan for creating home guard units equipped by the federal government. These would serve only in home defense.

In the compulsory service debate Senator Burke (D-Neb) asserted that the controversy had been reduced to a single issue—whether voluntary enlistments would produce sufficient recruits to man the nation's defense speedily.

Opponents of conscription have advocated the volunteer system. Proponents including Burke, say voluntary enlistments would not produce the men needed.

Taft Has Substitute

Senator Taft (R-Ohio) proposed that the United States create a permanent special system of voluntary military training, rather than resort to conscription.

As the senate resumed its debate on the controversial compulsory service bill, Taft offered a substitute plan which he said was designed to build up and maintain a reservoir of 1,500,000 trained men.

Senator Barkley of Kentucky, the Democratic leader, voiced opposition however, to any substitute or compromise measures which would delay inauguration of a conscription program.

With two days of debate in the record, Barkley observed that things were "going along pretty well" and told reporters he thought the senate would vote against postponing a draft law to experiment further with voluntary enlistment plans, as anti-conscriptionists have urged.

Gen. Shedd declared that even with a "bigger and louder" advertising campaign and increased pay, we probably could get more men than now but we never could get the men we need at the time we need them.

Guard Bill Progresses

Meanwhile, legislation empowering the president to mobilize the National Guard and reserves advanced another step toward enactment. The house military committee voted unanimously last night to recommend passage of the senate-approved measure, but made several changes in its provisions.

The committee retained the re-

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California Woman Meets Death in One of Series of Traffic Accidents in Dixon Vicinity

Terse News

CONDITION BETTER

The condition of Katherine Reynolds, 14-year-old Dixon girl who is a patient at Katherine Shaw Bethel hospital here suffering with Rocky Mountain spotted fever, was reported considerably improved today.

CANOE STOLEN

Tim Hubbard, 211 North Galena avenue, reported to the police last evening the theft of a 17-foot canoe which was taken Sunday night or early yesterday from the boat house above the dam. The police were furnished with a description of the canoe and are conducting an investigation.

WOOSING ROBBERY

Wallace Burden, who conducts the general store and postoffice at Woosung yesterday reported to Dixon police and the sheriff's office, a robbery which occurred last Saturday night. The store was entered and a cash box containing about \$10 was taken, the postal department not having been disturbed.

SIGN OF FALL

The annual meeting of the Dixon Bowling Assn. will be held at the Dixon Recreation at 7:30 o'clock Friday evening, at which time officers will be expected to provide lists of keggers who will be on their teams the coming season.

HARD RAIN AT OREGON

Ogle county was visited by an exceptionally hard rain Monday afternoon, with the result that small creeks were flooded and the water ran over the state highways at several places. Highway department employees were called to remove hundreds of empty tin cans which had been washed from some dump.

IN TRAFFIC COURT

Traffic rule violators in Dixon are being reminded of the importance of safe and sane driving on the city streets and a total of 11 arrests were made by police over the week end. Eight speeders paid fines of \$5 and costs, two were fined \$1 and costs for the unnecessary sounding of horns and one paid a fine of \$1 and costs for failing to heed a stop sign.

FUGITIVES CAUGHT

Arthur Hardesty, 28, and Victor McFalls, 20, both of Chicago, patients of the Dixon state hospital, escaped from the institution Monday morning about 9 o'clock. Patrolmen Jones and Bohnstiel apprehended the pair on the north side yesterday afternoon and returned them to the institution. Hardesty, the police report indicated.

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Farmers of McHenry Co. Get 1940 Checks

Champaign, Ill., Aug. 13.—(AP)—McHenry county farmers are the first in Illinois to receive their 1940 conservation payments under the AAA, officials of the agricultural conservation program announced today.

One hundred sixty-four applications from McHenry county, totaling \$25,040.18, were cleared for payment today in the state AAA office in Decatur. The checks should arrive Thursday.

The second county was Gallatin, with 198 applications for payments amounting to \$15,950.22. The conservation payments supplement the wheat parity and corn parity payments which virtually have been completed for all Illinois counties.

No Peaches, No "Peaches"; Beauty Unrecognized in "Little Egypt"

Centralia, Ill., Aug. 13.—(AP)—No peaches, no "peaches".

The freeze that nipped southern Illinois orchards last January also stunted the growth of the peach queen crop in most cities of Egypt's fruit belt.

Beauty is going unrecognized—practically plowed under for at least a year. Leap year, too.

Ordinarily, by this time, queens and their attendants would have been chosen in a half-dozen cities. Forerunners of the peach crop, the winsome misses would have invaded Chicago and its hospitals, bearing armloads of goodwill and peach blooms.

About this time too, fruit pickers from Arkansas and southern Missouri would begin their trek

MOBILIZATION OF SECOND ARMY IS ABOUT COMPLETE

60,000 Soldiers Will Be Quartered at Camp McCoy by Night

Camp McCoy, Wis., Aug. 13.—(AP)—Men and guns jammed the highways leading into this make-believe battle area today as officers of the Second Army pushed mobilization of National Guard troops from seven states.

Headquarters spokesmen said that mobilization of the force of about 60,000 would be completed by nightfall. For the next three weeks the troops will undergo a period of intensive training.

The flow of units began Sunday, but highway traffic reached its peak today as 70 convoys, including 852 vehicles, converged on the maneuver area. Most of the convoys were artillery commands from Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky and West Virginia.

The largest was the 182nd Field Artillery from Michigan, with 65 vehicles.

Nine railroad trains unloaded troops at Warren, Yveville and Camp Williams. These soldiers came from distant points in the Second Army area.

Doughboys of the 131st and 132nd infantry, Illinois National Guard, marched out to the combat ranges, where riflemen, machine gunners, and anti-tank and mortar units were given practice with service ammunition at moving and concealed targets.

Units of the 52nd division, from Wisconsin and Michigan, and the 33rd, from Illinois, which were settled in their camps, were busy organizing combat teams. There also was training in the operations of battalions.

Greece Turns Down Axis "Suggestion"

Athens, Aug. 13.—(AP)—Premier General John Metaxas has turned down a Rome-Berlin "suggestion" that Greece formally renounce Great Britain's guarantee of her independence and territorial integrity, high diplomatic sources reported tonight.

The axis "suggestion" was said to have been conveyed to Metaxas by the Italian charge d'affaires this morning at a meeting attended by the German minister.

The premier then hurried to a long audience with King George and also saw the British minister and the permanent head of the Greek foreign office.

Gallatin Co. Tavern Keeper Alleged Killer

Shawneetown, Ill., Aug. 13.—(AP)—A coroner's jury last night recommended that D. D. Davis, proprietor of a Gallatin county tavern, be held for grand jury investigation of the fatal shooting of Strother Reed, 29, Harrisburg WPA worker, at the tavern early Saturday.

Witnesses testified that Reed was fatally wounded during a fight when Davis struck him in the face with a gun and the weapon discharged. The bullet lodged in Reed's brain.

The tavern proprietor has been held in the county jail here since the shooting.

BRAKEMAN INJURED

Joliet, Ill., Aug. 13.—(AP)—Vernon Welling, 41, an Altan railroad brakeman, was injured critically today when he slipped from a freight car and fell under the car wheels. The accident occurred while he was setting a hand-brake at Wilmington.

The Weather

TUESDAY, AUG. 13, 1940

(By The Associated Press)
For Chicago and Vicinity: Partly cloudy tonight and Wednesday; not much change in temperature; gentle easterly winds.

Illinois: Partly cloudy, showers in extreme southeast and extreme northwest tonight; Wednesday generally fair; continued warm.

Wisconsin: Partly cloudy, showers in extreme southwest tonight; Wednesday generally fair and somewhat warmer.

Iowa: Partly cloudy with local thunderstorms tonight and Wednesday; continued warm.

LOCAL WEATHER
For the 24 hours ending at 7 a. m. today: maximum temperature 87; minimum 69; cloudy; precipitation .58 inches, total for August to date 1.05 inches, total for year to date 17.74 inches.

Wednesday: sun rises at 5:08; sets at 7:00.

Program of Day

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Elwood, Ind., Aug. 13.—(AP)—The program for Wendell L. Willkie's acceptance of the Republican presidential nomination Saturday follows (Central Standard Time):

10 a. m. to 2 p. m.—Informal entertainment at Callaway park, site of the acceptance.

Non-Arrival of Willkie's special train from Rushville, Ind.

1 p. m.—Willkie greeted by members of Summit American Legion post No. 19 of Akron, O., of which he is a Past Commander.

1:30 p. m.—Willkie party motors from train to high school.

2 p. m.—Brief ceremony at high school.

2:30 p. m.—State candidates introduced at park by Arch N. Bobbitt, Indiana GOP chairman.

3 p. m.—Willkie arrives at park to deliver acceptance address.

Progress Made in Defense Program Pleasing to FDR

Washington, Aug. 13.—(AP)—President Roosevelt returned to the White House today from an inspection tour of defense projects in New England where he expressed a conviction that the national preparedness program, though not fully under way, was making progress.

That was the way he appraised the defense program in a chat with reporters at the end of an inspection of defense projects from a corner of Maine to New London, Conn.

The inspection tour ended last night at New London, with signs pointing to his starting another before the week closes—to the maneuvers of the first army in upstate New York.

The trip had supplied him with evidence, in New England, he said, of the speeding up of the intricate processes of turning dollars into guns, warships, submarines and torpedoes. It showed him, too, expanding facilities for training recruits to man and operate the finished war equipment.

Vermont Touched

Roosevelt touched every New England state except Vermont on his trip. He stopped Saturday at the Portsmouth, N. H., navy yard, actually in Kittery, Maine, and at the Boston navy yard and Watertown, Mass., army arsenal.

He cruised and fished Sunday off Massachusetts. He specialized yesterday on submarines and the torpedoes which are their most damaging weapon.

Before looking over the naval war college and training station at Newport, R. I., the president viewed the navy's major torpedo making plant on an island just outside that resort city.

With a glance at Quonset Point, R. I., where the navy is building a \$25,000,000 air base, he cruised on his yacht Potomac to New London.

Supreme Court of France Convenes; Starts War Trial

Riom, France, Aug. 13.—(AP)—The Petain government formally accused "ministers, former ministers and their immediate civil and military subordinates" today of betraying their charge as servants of the nation by taking France, unprepared, into war.

The government of the 84-year-old Premier Marshal Philippe Petain, who surrendered to Germany, demanded that France's new supreme court inquire into happenings of pre-war and war periods with the purpose of fixing individual "war guilt" accusations.

The court was requested to proceed with investigations against "Monsieur X"—and charges against a definite personage or personages, it was said, will be lodged.

There were indications that the two principal figures will be Edouard Daladier, the premier who declared war, and Maurice Gustave Gamelin, former generalissimo.

Vichy, Aug. 13.—(AP via radio)—Marshal Philippe Petain, France's chief of state, declared tonight in an international broadcast that "laziness and incompetence" were partly responsible for the downfall of France.

From now on, he declared, the responsibility of government officials will be definitely fixed and France will expect much of her servants.

"I was grived to learn," he said, "that one of France's real troubles was the insidious propaganda that had penetrated its government."

DEAD IN SOUTH ATLANTIC STORM TOTAL 35 TODAY

Millions of Dollars of Property Damage in Battered Areas

(By The Associated Press)

Atlanta, Aug. 13.—The hurricane-battered coasts of Georgia and South Carolina counted at least 35 dead today and millions of dollars of property damage as near-normalcy returned to the stricken area.

The Red Cross reported from Washington that 25 Negroes were killed Sunday on St. Helena island near Beaufort, S. C., in the 80-mile-an-hour hurricane that swept out of the Bahamas, and eight other Negroes perished on nearby Ladies island.

Two persons died at Savannah, Ga., as the storm swept that city. One CCC was missing on Huntington island, near Charleston, S. C.

Many Homes Destroyed

Governor Burnet R. Maybank of South Carolina said Beaufort county appeared to have been hit hardest. At least 200 homes were destroyed in the county and many others damaged. Maybank said Red Cross aid, chlorine and food was needed for storm refugees in that area.

The city of Beaufort and Parris island, a marine base, were damaged severely, the governor reported, but loss of life appeared confined to Negroes on adjacent islands.

Beaufort remained without power or communication lines today. Water waist-deep flooded streets in the business section. Docks were smashed and all except one boat in the harbor sank.

Not C. Wilson, Red Cross official at Charleston, said a survey indicated no large amount of major damage in that city. There were no deaths and few minor injuries, he said.

Original Contest is Added to Horse Show Program; For Farmers

Lee county farmers exhibiting horses in the heavy draft class at the seventh annual Lee County Fair and Horse Show at Assembly park on Aug. 23, 24 and 25, will be eligible to enter a contest which is new and original, officers of the association announced today. An event has been arranged in which the contestants will bring their teams, without harness, into the ring, where the wagon and harness will be placed. The first entrant to harness and hitch his team and drive once around the track, will be the winner of the contest, which will be an interesting addition to the program.

Lloyd Teeter of Libertyville, another of the outstanding exhibitors of fine show stock in this section of the central west, today forwarded his entry for the three day fair and horse show. Six head of horses will come from the Teeter stables to be entered in the various harness and saddle classes.

An addition entry of an outstanding saddle rider from the O'Malley stables at Aurora was also received this morning.

Chicago Police Will Help Elwood's Force

Chicago, Aug. 13.—(AP)—The police department arranged today to send 50 uniformed policemen and 10 detectives to Elwood, Ind., next Saturday to assist Indiana officers in handling the crowd at the notification ceremony for Wendell Willkie, Republican presidential nominee.

The reinforcements were requested by Chief M. J. Fogarty of the Elwood force.

Connection With Officer of Nazi Embassy Costs Rieber \$100,000 Job

New York, Aug. 13.—(AP)—Capt. Torkild Rieber, stocky, \$100,000-a-year chairman of the Texas Corporation, has ended a 35-year career with the international oil firm, the result of recent disclosures of his association with a German emissary to the United States.

The 58-year-old Norwegian-born oil executive, who rose to sea at 14 and became a tanker skipper at 21, explained after a seven-hour meeting of the board of directors yesterday that he had submitted his resignation "because of certain publicity detrimental to the Texas Corporation."

In connection with reports of the activities of Dr. Gerhard Westrick, commercial counselor of the German embassy,

As a result of the revelations concerning Westrick, Rieber acknowledged helping the Nazi representative get a driver's license and offered him the use of a company car.

The oilman explained he considered this "good business" since Westrick, a German supreme court lawyer, had represented the company on occasions in Germany.

The driver's license was revoked by the state motor vehicle department after a hearing which brought testimony from a Texas Company official that the company had paid for the car Westrick used but had expected the German official to pay back later.

Westrick's license was taken away on grounds his application contained false statements.

Hundreds of Nazi Planes Rain Ruin on 200-Mile Front

Unusualities

IN THE HAT

Kansas City, Kas., Aug. 13.—(AP)—Joseph Dahlin, motor car dealer, fell asleep in the lobby of a bank. He awoke to find 29 cents in the hat he had been holding in his lap.

EVADES PENALTY

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 13.—(AP)—Farmer, convicted of drunken driving, had his automobile license revoked, so he started driving a tractor when he went to town.

That, said the attorney general's office, was all right.

DOLLARS SCARCE

East St. Louis, Ill., Aug. 13.—(AP)—Leon G. Smith presented his mother, Mrs. Perle Smith of Belleville, with 90 silver dollars for a gift on her 90th birthday, but it wasn't easy.

So scarce were the big coins here, they had to be ordered from out of town.

NEW "CRIMINALS"

Decatur, Ill., Aug. 13.—(AP)—The summer drought has given Decatur authorities a new kind of "criminal" to deal with.

Commissioner John L. Rehfeld said the drying up of farm wells has prompted some farmers to tap fire plugs near the city limits for their stock needs.

"It isn't the loss of water," Rehfeld said, "but they are leaving plugs open".

Headquarters of Union Raided in Drive on Rackets

Chicago, Aug. 13.—(AP)—Seized in a surprise raid on their union headquarters, two business agents and a secretary were taken before the grand jury today as the state pressed its inquiry to learn whether racketeers dominated the hotel, apartment service workers and miscellaneous Restaurant Employees union, local 593.

James Blakely and John Lardino, the business agents, and Michael Lee, the secretary, were taken into the jury chambers as soon as William Crawford, assistant state's attorney, won a continuance until September 17 of habeas corpus proceedings.

Before Chief Justice John Prytsalski of the Criminal court, where the continuance was argued, Crawford declared:

"We believe that the union is linked with Stanton (Danny Stanton, hoodlum) and that \$8,000 was paid to him, but we have been unable to determine this from our analysis of the books so far".

Attorney Harold Levy, who sought release of the men within an hour after their arrest yesterday, denied the allegation and asserted "these men have been in the union for years and they are not linked with Stanton".

In all, four union officials were seized in police raids which opened a campaign described by Captain John Howe as "the beginning of the end of racket-ridden unions".

The fourth man was J. Levitt (St. Louis) Kelly, head of the waiters, bartenders and cooks union, a negro unit of the other organization.

Fourth Man Held

From two other points—one belligerent, one neutral—came strong intimations that the long-awaited "zero hour" is near.

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Big Guns in Action

The Bern dispatch also said reports were current there that 40-mile Nazi "Big Berthas" at Calais and Dunkerque already had begun laying down a cross-channel barrage behind Dover. Dover is just 22 miles from Calais, the narrowest point in the English channel.

Simultaneously, the English censor, after holding back a dispatch from an Associated Press correspondent in a southeast coast town for 24 hours, finally passed a cabled report that shells were falling on a coastal town there.

If true, the Germans apparently

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British Censor

Veils Toll of Destruction

At a Glance

By The Associated Press

Battle of Britain—

Nazi hurl 400 to 600 planes into three-day-old blitzkrieg against Britain, blast 200-mile front on English channel; "zero hour" for land invasion attempt believed near, one source says "within 72 hours". Germans reported shelling English coast with Big Berthas; Nazis claim 69 R. A. F. planes shot down, seven German planes lost; British say 31 Germans bagged by mid-afternoon.

Axis in Greece—

Italian-Greek tension nears crisis; Greek Premier Metaxas rejects Rome-Berlin "suggestion" that Greece renounce British guarantee of independence.

Battle of Africa—

Italians report their forces fighting main body of British in grive toward Berbera, British Somali-land.

Politics—

Official soviet Russian press declares U. S. S. R. backs Bulgarian territorial demands on Rumania.

Judgment Day—

French "war guilt" tribunal called to hear formal complaint against leaders of Nazi-conquered French republic.

Disaster—

Australian air crash takes lives of three Dobsonian ministers, Chief of Army Staff and six others.

By The Associated Press

Hitler's three-day-old aerial blitzkrieg against Britain struck in chain-lightning attacks by 400 to 600 Nazi warplanes today, raining havoc on towns and military objectives all along a 200-mile front on the English channel.

British censorship veiled the toll of death and destruction.

Berlin reported 69 British R. A. F. planes were destroyed, with only seven Nazi planes lost, while London said a mid-afternoon tabulation showed 31 German raiders downed.

With the "zero hour" apparently near for Hitler's threatened attempt to invade the island kingdom, huge waves of Nazi bombers and fighting planes returned to the attack this afternoon.

Swift-rising R. A. F. fighters flew up to engage the raiders in dogfights twisting in and out of low-hanging clouds.

Attacking in waves of 50 to 100, the Germans were using their ace pilots.

In the four big days since Hitler turned on his aerial assault power full-blast, starting last Thursday some 2,000 Nazi planes have crossed the channel to storm Britain.

Look for Invasion

While British R. A. F. Spitfires and Hurricane fighters roared up to meet the Nazi sky raiders, the censored London press warned that a German attempt at actual land invasion may be imminent.

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Of Interest to Farmers

Achievement Day of 4-H Clubs Is Marked Success

Two hundred 4-H club girls, their leaders, parents and friends attended the annual Achievement Day program for Lee county 4-H clubs last Wednesday at the Ambony Township high school. Seven girls were chosen to participate in 4-H activities at the Illinois State Fair in Springfield as representatives of this county.

Members whose garments were selected for exhibition at the State Fair for outstanding workmanship were: Evelyn Anderson, Marjorie Rosenkrans, Dorothy Bittner, Margaret Detig, Corda Rogers, Daisy Salzman, Mildred Swegle, Ruth Meppen and Ruth Avenarius.

The Wy-Lee demonstration on "Pattern Alteration" given by Corda Rogers and Joyce Cooke was chosen to represent Lee County at the State Fair with the demonstration on "Enlarging Your Wardrobe by Variation of Accessories" given by Roberta Hoelscher and Daisy Salzman of the South Dixon Willing Workers as the alternate team. Individuals who are to observe demonstrations at Springfield are: Ruth Avenarius, Mary Ellen Swegle, and Roberta Hoelscher. Phyllis Ravnaas was the individual alternate selected.

Other demonstrations presented were: "Making a Round Button-hole," Ruth Avenarius and Lois Johnson of the Ambony 4-H Sewing club; "Properly Made Sandwiches," Shirley Erlenbaugh of the Lee Center 4-H Foods club; "Optical Illusion in Dress," Mary Ellen Swegle and Betty Hill of the Dixie Girls 4-H club; "Altering a Pattern," Mary Jane Harden, Frances Ransom and Hazel Wright of the Nelson Nimble Thimble club; "Care of the Teeth," Frances Richardson, Gladys Larsen and Phyllis Ravnaas of the Alto-Rey 4-H club; "Modeling Manners," Rita Koch and Mary Jane Koch of the Alto-Rey club; "Building Campfires," Wy-Lee Cooking club.

Arlene Grove of the Alto-Rey club and Margaret Cooke of the Wy-Lee club are to participate in the State Dress Revue on August 20. Alternates are Lois Johnson and Ruth Avenarius.

Girls included in class "A" of the Dress Revue were: Ruth Meppen, Charlene Wakeley, Lois Benson, Elsie Torti, Harriet Mihm, Margaret Detig, Patsy Hall, Evelyn Anderson, Joyce Cooke, Marjorie Rosenkrans, Dorothy Bittner, Eleanor Schlesinger, Dorothy Degner, Stella Mae Carson, Darlene Clymer, Celia Dieterle, Jane Baker, Margaret Merle, Corda Rogers, Phyllis Ravnaas, Virginia Mae Herrmann, Ethel Atkinson, Frances Ransom, Julia Trumble, Maxine McGinnis, Hazel Wright, Arlene Grove, Lois Johnson, Margaret Cooke, Ruth Avenarius and Elaine Schlesinger.

Girls included in class "B" of the Dress Revue were: Mary Jane Koch, Kathryn Herrmann, Isabelle Schmidt, Marilyn Colby, Edith Olson, Ruth Torti, Jacquelyn Johnson, Mary Torti, Dorothy Barlow, Mildred Swegle, Betty Brown, Muriel Smith, Doris Weiner, Arlene Wollitz, Carol Jean Rosenkrans, Helen Meade, Lucille Miller, Jean Cooke, Roberta Tarr, Beverly Jean Crull, Evelyn Detig, Elaine Spears, Evelyn Hoelzer, Frances Brown, Daisy Salzman, Roberta Hoelscher, Ruth Cornils, Wilma Clymer, Elaine Coffey, Dorothy Levan, Donna May Clymer, Mary Jane Cramer, Betty Boone, Theresa Blackburn, Yvonne Robbins, Mary Eisenrich, Frances Richardson, Gladys Larsen, Rita Ann Koch, Doris John, Mary Jane Hardy, Elsie Mekeel, Gene Brooks, Mary Mekeel, Nexa Jean Moeller, Elsie Langhoff, Coralie Becker, Theodore Brooks, Madelon Gallagher, Lois Tarr, Dorla Lincoln, Doris Hackman, Mary Jane Harden, Doris Lincoln and Carol Lincoln.

Leaders who helped to make the 4-H Achievement Day a success were: Miss Esther Smith and Miss Ruth Straw—Dixie Girls; Mrs. A. B. Bowman—Nachusa Merry Maids; Miss Arlene Wolfram, Miss Vivian Wolfram, Miss Lucille Hank—South Dixon Willing Workers; Mrs. Robert Bollman, Mrs. Ray Ribordy and Miss Lois Ringler—Nelson Nimble Thimble; Mrs. Ralph Heath, Mrs. John

The Farmer and the Budget

By ARTHUR H. BOOTH
Route 5, Princeton, Ill.

No farmer can take in \$500 and spend \$800 a year, without soon going broke, nor can he borrow himself into prosperity, neither can our government. When we receive \$100 benefit payment, the government must either collect it back in taxes, or borrow it at interest which must be repaid or repudiated.

For the past seven years our government has gone 24 billion dollars in the red and each billion means a mortgage of \$2.90 per acre on your farm and my farm. The total debt now amounts to \$116.50 on each acre and we are paying 1 billion, 100 million dollars a year in interest or equal to \$3.00 per acre. For every dollar we get in doles, we give the payrollers 50c in salaries and expenses.

I do not like Hitler nor his system of government, but during the past seven years he has built a military machine estimated to be worth 30 billion and he entered this war debt free, while we went 24 billion in the red and we are now told we do not even have enough rifles to equip our regular army. Hitler did not accomplish this by following the assign policy, that the way to have more is by producing less, like our AAA program, for even the monkeys in the jungles of Africa, never have a depression because they have too many coconuts, or our jackasses on the farm, do not have recessions, because they have too much hay, we must go to Sec. Wallace and the Dept. of Agriculture to find that kind of reasoning.

The frontier of democracy is not on the banks of the Rhine, but in our homes. Hitler with his totalitarian government tells the German people what they must and must not do, but in a democracy we are supposed to tell our government what it can and cannot do, so we can have as good or as wretched a government as we want, so it is time that the

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State Corn Crop Reduced 11 Pct. by Drought, Heat

Government Statistician A. J. Surra reported at Springfield Monday "the Illinois corn crop was reduced 37,000,000 bushels or 11 per cent by the July drought and heat, and is placed at 299,480,000 bushels."

The monthly crop report said "the condition of corn, soybeans, cowpeas and potato crops was very uneven and down sharply from July 1 but still slightly above average on August 1."

"The declining condition of late crops was checked by the break in the heat wave on August 6 and rather general light to moderate rains since August 1."

The report noted "very favorable and better-than-expected yields and quality of small grains, with the exception of soft wheat in southern Illinois."

Fruit prospects were reported to range from fair for pears and grapes and poor for fair for apples to failure for peaches except for a light crop in the extreme southern counties. Gardens and new seedlings of grasses suffered heavily from drought. Broomcorn prospects were reported fair to good.

Corn Rates 74 Per Cent. The government rating of Illinois corn condition August 1 was 74 per cent, a drop of 12 points since July 1, and compared with 93 per cent a year ago and the 10-year average of 72 per cent. The indicated yield was set at 40 bushels an acre as compared with 52 bushels last year and the 34.6 bushel 10-year average.

"Deterioration" of corn, the report said, "was very marked across the upper central section of the state" where much of the damage was said to be permanent. Some recovery of the crop condition was expected in more favored areas.

Oats yield at 44 bushels per acre was the second highest on record with quality unusually high, many reports of test weights being 40 pounds or better. Indicated production of Illinois crops with 1939 production in parenthesis was given as follows: Corn 299,480,000 bushels (418,652,000); winter wheat 39,488,000 bushels (38,409,000); oats 137,236,000 bushels (93,540,000); tame hay 4,220,000 tons (4,183,000); broomcorn 7,700 tons (7,500); commercial apples 2,178,000 bushels (4,107,000); peaches 204,000 bushels (1,800,000); and pears 493,000 bushels (668,000).

Strains of Corn Vary Greatly in Feeding Values

Although there's not much difference in the value of hybrid and open-pollinated corn for fattening pigs, there is a difference in feeding value between specific strains of corn, whether it is hybrid or open-pollinated, says B. W. Fairbanks, professor of swine husbandry at the University of Illinois College of Agriculture.

Pigs receiving hybrid corn in 11 experiments conducted at five stations made an average daily gain of 1.49 pounds, compared with 1.46 pounds for open-pollinated. Pigs ate an average of 391 pounds of hybrid corn in making 100 pounds gain, while they ate an average of 394 pounds of open-pollinated for each 100 pounds gain.

However, when different strains of hybrids and open-pollinated corn were fed pigs, more than half a pound gain a pig for each day was observed. The difference was not quite so great when comparing strains of open-pollinated as in the case of hybrid corn.

The difference in feed consumed for each 100 pounds of gain was just as striking when the strains were compared. There was a difference of 172 pounds in the case of open-pollinated and 89 pounds for strains of hybrid.

Even though the problem of hybrid versus open-pollinated corn has ceased to be a problem, Fairbanks concludes that strains of hybrid and strains of open-pollinated corn may vary as much within their respective classes as any one hybrid would vary from any one open-pollinated variety.

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FRANK PRIEBE'S WEEKLY LETTER to POULTRY RAISERS

Polls are being taken to determine public opinion on practically every question that comes up—even grading eggs.

At the request of the Iowa State Farm Bureau Federation, merchants and housewives in Des Moines were polled to find out whether people would buy more eggs if they could buy them graded.

Ninety-three of the hundred merchants questioned said most of their customers were satisfied with the eggs they were getting and didn't care whether they were graded or not.

But the customers contradicted the merchants' answers! When one hundred housewives were questioned, 85 of them said they would be willing to pay more for eggs if they were graded for freshness, size, and color. And 66 of them said they would also use more eggs.

I think you will be interested in some of their remarks:

"I'd appreciate knowing I could rely on every egg."

"I'd be sure of what I was getting. It's all guess now."

"I'm mainly interested in freshness."

"If there is anything I can't stand, it's the uncertainty when I open an egg."

"I always buy the best eggs I can find—and that's a job."

"When we get a bad egg, we are through with eggs for a while."

"I used to live in California and I know what 'high class' eggs can really be."

That last remark is particularly significant, I think, when you consider that one year recently Iowa produced nearly 30 million dozen more eggs than California did. But the California eggs—which are practically all graded for freshness, size and color—brought producers about \$1,260,000 more than the Iowa eggs!

According to this report, "two thirds of the eggs in Iowa are traded for groceries or cash at the local grocery stores. They are candied and any eggs that are spoiled are thrown out, but there is almost no grading. . . . The incentive for producers to improve quality is lacking in most communities."

But I question that. There are few farmers in the state of Iowa who aren't within reasonable driving distance of a market where eggs are being bought on a grade and where they can get a premium for those that are large and clean and FRESH.

It seems to me that producers and merchants who aren't selling eggs graded are both passing up a chance to increase their profit.

Consumers determine what eggs are worth and they say they'll not only pay more for graded eggs, but will buy more of them. If we recognize what consumers want and give it to them, we will profit accordingly.

Sincerely yours,

FRANK PRIEBE
110 North Franklin, Chicago.

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Lee County Is Among Those to Realize Farm Ownership Dream

The dream of farm ownership will become a reality to about 90 more tenants in several additional Illinois counties as a result of the recent allocation of \$1,634,926 for the purchase of 160 farms under the Farm Security Administration's tenant purchase program. The allocation is a part of the \$50,000,000 allotted the states and territories for loans to tenants for purchase of farms under the Bankhead-Jones Farm Tenant Act.

Addition recently of 17 new counties brings the total of 42 Illinois counties in the fourth year of the tenant-purchase plan, according to W. J. Carmichael, state director of the FSA. Twenty-five counties, in which 230 loans have been made for purchase of farms, had previously been selected. The amount expended for loans to date totals \$2,362,228.23.

Seventeen New Counties The 17 new counties are Adams, Christian, Clark, Clay, Edgar, Ford, Franklin, Henry, Jo Daviess, Livingston, McHenry, Macon, Macoupin, Mason, Monroe, Ogle and Schuyler.

The 25 counties formerly selected include Saline, St. Clair, Shelby, McLean, Fulton and Lee, the first year; Iroquois, Hancock, Greene, Crawford and Jackson, the second year; and Winnebago, Mercer, LaSalle, Will, Peoria, McDonough, Vermilion, Menard, Pike,

Mrs. Ralph Fann of Farmer City. There were 75 in attendance at the Drexler family reunion Sunday. Attending from a distance were the William Correll family of Perry, Mo.; Mrs. Carl Erickson and daughter of Springfield; the Charles Kinne family of Ottawa; Robert Kinne of Peoria and Mrs. Ida Lott of Bloomington.

Miss Elizabeth Farrell of Chicago is spending the week with her sister-in-law, Mrs. Michael Farrell.

Mrs. Ida Lott of Bloomington is making an extended visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. May-silles.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick Clifford and daughter Sally visited the former's sister, Mrs. May Holmer at a Chicago hospital Sunday, where she is convalescing from a major operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Siebert were Chicago visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Armstrong had as week-end guests the former's uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. George Warnock of Rock Island.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Myers and family of Dixon were Sunday visitors of Mr. and Mrs. George Myers.

Two Men Die in Plane Crash, Iron Mountain

Iron Mountain, Mich., Aug. 13.—(AP)—Two men lost their lives last night when their airplane crashed and was burned near the Dickinson county airport.

Alvin Weed, 43, partner in a grocery store at Breitung, Mich., owner of the plane, died soon after removal to an Iron Mountain hospital. He was picked up about 150 feet from the scene of the crash after being thrown from the plane.

His companion, Arne Voge, 45, of Kingsford, Mich., was trapped in the wreckage of the plane and perished in the flames.

The men were making a practice flight from the airport.

Play Day Ladies of Oregon Golf club will participate in Play day activities at the Polo Golf club Wednesday.

Personals Mr. and Mrs. John Stouffer are on a week's vacation, visiting relatives in Savanna and Cedar Rapids, Iowa.

Mrs. J. E. Dale, daughter Hazel and son David are spending two weeks with relatives in Renova, Pa.

Polo Golf club members were guests Sunday at the Oregon club in mixed foursomes.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kearns and three children returned home Monday from a week's visit with relatives in Lafayette and Wabash, Indiana.

Mrs. S. R. Etnyre and baby daughter returned home Sunday from the Rockford hospital.

Wayne Green of Camp McCoy, Sparta, Wis. spent the week-end with his sister, Mrs. Virgil Myers and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Myers entertained guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. David Lillie of Sterling and

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Extreme Heat Cuts Average of Dairy Group

The Ogle County Dairy Herd Improvement association average for the month of July was 758 pounds of milk and 26.5 pounds of fat with 481 cows on test from 29 herds. Fifty-six of the 481 cows on test were dry. During the month seven unprofitable cows were sold to the butcher. Seventy-two cows each produced over 40 pounds of fat.

The five high herds were as follows:

Grover Thomas, owner, 12 G. & R. H. breed, 1054 average milk, 364 production fat, one dry cow, milked twice a day.

Leroy Folkerts, owner, 18 G. H. breed, 1153 average milk, 35.2 production fat, no dry cows, milked twice a day.

Richard Magee, owner, 21 R. H. breed, 1147 average milk, 35.9 production fat, no dry cows, milked twice a day.

Clarence Ratmeyer, owner, 1124 average milk, 35.9 production fat, no dry cows, milked twice a day.

J. Gordon Myers, owner, 13 G. H. breed, 1029 average milk, 35.5 production fat, one dry cow, milked twice a day.

The five high cows were as follows:

Percy Fruin, owner R. H. breed, 2244 pounds milk, 98.7 pounds fat, milked twice a day.

Lee M. Gentry, owner, R. H. breed, 1903 pounds milk, 87.5 pounds fat, milked twice a day.

Clarence Ratmeyer, owner, G. H. breed, 2018 pounds milk, 80.7 pounds fat, milked twice a day.

J. Gordon Myers, owner, R. H. breed, 2043 pounds milk, 73.6 pounds fat, milked twice a day.

Getzenander Farm, owners, R. H. breed, 1764 pounds milk, 70.6 pounds fat, milked twice a day.

The extreme heat has caused a marked drop in production. The heat and flies accompanied by dry pastures have hurt the association average considerably.

Now with pastures maturing it is necessary to increase the protein content of the grain ration in order to bring the cows back to their level of production.

In some instances silos have been opened to feed silage left from last spring. In other cases some have filled part of their silo with a legume silage. Either of these plans supply needed roughage when pastures are short.

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Society News

Mt. Morris Pair Pledges Vows in Church Wedding

A romance which had its beginning when the bride and groom were in high school was culminated in marriage on Saturday when Miss Irene Priller, daughter of the George Prillers of Mt. Morris, exchanged nuptial vows with William Webster of Rockford, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Webster. The Rev. Harold Wiltz read the ceremony before the altar of the Mt. Morris Christian church, with white flowers and greenery forming an effective background.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Her floor-length wedding gown of white chiffon was trimmed in lace and lace edged her fingertip veil. Her bouquet was formed of white roses, the chosen flower of Kappa Delta sorority.

Her maid of honor, Miss Dorothy Ralston of Beloit, Wis., was wearing pale green, trimmed with yellow velvet ribbon, and carried a Colonial bouquet. The bridesmaids were Miss Frances Dunlap of Chicago, Miss Eleanor Regan of Chicago, Miss Frances Dunlap of Chicago, Miss Eleanor Regan of Chicago, Miss Frances Dunlap of Chicago, Miss Eleanor Regan of Chicago.

Edward Webster was his brother's best man, and ushers were Melvin Priller, Sherwood Baker, and John Bosard of Detroit, Mich., and William Sauer of Viroqua, Wis.

Miss Virginia Schellinger, another sorority sister of the bride, played the nuptial prelude. She also accompanied Clarence Trady, who sang two solos, "At Dawning" and "Because."

Mrs. Priller was attired in navy blue lace with navy accessories, accented by a corsage of roses. Mrs. Webster chose powder blue with white accessories, and a corsage of gardenias.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held for 35 guests in the church parlors. When they return from a brief wedding trip, the couple will be at home at 1009 North Port street, Rockford.

Both Mr. and Mrs. Webster were graduated from Mt. Morris high school and Beloit college. During the past year, the bride has been employed at the Poultry Tribune office at Mt. Morris, and has been active in Girl Scout work. The bridegroom is employed by the Ingersoll company in Rockford.

Out of town guests attending the wedding included Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Spielman and daughter Lorraine, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Norviny and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Cronk, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Smith, Oakland, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ecklund and family, Minneapolis, Minn.; Frank Spielman, Oregon; Mr. and Mrs. Warren Sturtevant, Downers Grove; Mr. and Mrs. John Boutell, Rockford; Alan Van de Pogart, Delavan; Webster Owen, Detroit, and John Ross of Rockford.

OBSERVE DOUBLE ANNIVERSARY

Patsy and Donnie Nolan were celebrating their birthday anniversaries yesterday afternoon with 15 young guests. Patsy was five years old, and Donnie will be four on Aug. 24.

Playtime was followed by a birthday lunch of ice cream and cake, served by Mrs. Nolan. Attending were Beverly Reilly, Dickie and Jackie Brunett, Freddy Spinden, Jackie Nolan, Donna Mae Myers, Mary and Pearl Wright, Donnie Davis, Johnny Zmudka, Phyllis Gleason, Ginger and Mickey Moore, Kathleen and Jimmy Gorman, their mothers, and Mrs. Michael Nolan, Mrs. Charles Konkrite, and Leola Konkrite.

Mrs. Michael Nolan and Mrs. Konkrite are grandmothers of Patsy and Donnie, and Miss Konkrite is their aunt.

TO CALIFORNIA
Mr. and Mrs. Harry Fuhs and daughter Harriett are en route to California, where they will be vacationing until Sept. 1. Recent cards from the travelers were postmarked from points in Mexico.

Poloite's Bride



Mrs. Paul J. Shenefelt, pictured above, was formerly Miss Gerry Ann Barker of Los Angeles and Des Moines before the couple's marriage Saturday afternoon at the Little Brown Church in the Vale at Nashua, Iowa. The couple will reside in Rock Island, where the bridegroom is employed. Mr. Shenefelt is a son of the E. M. Shenefelts of 311 South Division street, Polo.

PORTNER CLAN HOLDS REUNION

Oliver Portner of Grand Detour was named president of the Portner clan at the ninth annual reunion of the family on Sunday at Lawrence park, Sterling. Other officers named were: Vice president, Martin Portner of Rock Falls; secretary, Mrs. Clarence Musgrave of Sterling; treasurer, Roy Portner, Sterling.

Relatives numbering 110 were present. Next year, the association expects to meet at Lowell park at Dixon on the second Sunday in August.

WAR MOTHERS

Plans for entertaining the state organization of War Mothers with a picnic here on Aug. 22 will be discussed when members of the Dixon chapter meet in the G. A. R. hall at 2:30 p. m. Friday. The picnic will be held in Lowell park, and is expected to attract a large number of out of town guests.

IN WISCONSIN
Mrs. Harry Johnson of 525 Fourth avenue is spending a week with Mrs. Parker Hedrick in Oregon, Wis. Mrs. Hedrick is the former Miss Dede Elliott.

Calendar

Tonight
Y. M. C. A., St. Paul's Lutheran church—Monthly meeting at Barton Shelter, Lowell park.

Wednesday
Junior linkswomen, Dixon Country club—Weekly supper match.

Linkswomen, Dixon Country club—Inter-city match at Twin City Country club.

American Legion Auxiliary—In G. A. R. hall, 7:30 p. m.

Thursday
Wa-Tan-Yans—Birthday party at Mrs. Harry Beard's home.

North Central Cub pack—Picnic at Lowell park.

Linkswomen, Dixon Country club—Inter-city match at Polo.

Grand Detour Players—Will open four-night repeat run of their world premiere of Wilson-O'Connell comedy, "Post Script", in Illini hall, 8:30 p. m.

Miss Wettengel Reveals Plans for Her Bridal

Miss Ann Wettengel of Rockford, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. H. M. Wettengel, is announcing plans for her approaching wedding to a young Ogle county barrister, Wilbur P. Cooper of Oregon. The ceremony will be solemnized at 11:30 a. m. Saturday morning, Aug. 31, at the Wettengel home, 830 North Church street, with Dr. John Gordon officiating.

Miss Betty Volkmar is to be Miss Wettengel's only attendant, and Mrs. Frederick DeLong, harpist, will be the nuptial musician. The bridal luncheon will be served in the sun room at the Rockford Woman's club.

Following their marriage, the couple will make their home in Byron. Mr. Cooper is a graduate of the University of Illinois and is practicing law in Oregon. He is a Tau Kappa Epsilon fraternity man.

Miss Wettengel attended Rockford college for two years, before transferring to the University of Illinois, where she received her diploma from the school of journalism in 1938.

WA-TAN-YANS ARE PLANNING BIRTHDAY PARTY

Wa-Tan-Yans will be entertaining prospective members at a birthday party on Thursday evening at Mrs. Harry Beard's home, 803 East Third street. Dinner will be served at 6:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Roy Wilhelm and Miss Retta Keithley are Mrs. Beard's co-hostesses.

CELEBRATE FORTIETH YEAR

Mr. and Mrs. William G. Wolford celebrated their fortieth wedding anniversary on Saturday, with their children and grandchildren as guests. The anniversary dinner was served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Helfrich.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Wolford of Kankakee and Mr. and Mrs. George Wolford, sons and daughters-in-law of the couple, and the following grandchildren: Bobbie, Dickie, Patsy, Willie, and Billie Wolford, Kankakee; Grant Wolford and Junior and Harold and Mary Lou Helfrich of Dixon.

Mrs. Wolford has resided in Dixon for 39 years. Her three grandchildren from Kankakee are vacationing here with their grandparents for two weeks.

DIXON MAN IS WEDDING USHER

Robert Besse of Dixon was an usher at the wedding of Miss Virginia Johnston and John S. Mooney, which was solemnized Saturday afternoon at the Congregational church in Rock Falls. The Rev. Omar J. Flugum officiated.

After a wedding trip to Mexico City, the couple will be at home at Shore Acres.

Mrs. Ollie Bort and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Besse of Dixon were out of town guests attending the ceremony.

ENTERTAINS FOR SISTER

Mrs. Wallace Elifson of 832 Brinton avenue has arranged a picnic bridge supper for eight Rockford guests this evening, complimenting her sister, Miss Ruth White of Rockford, whose marriage to John L. Wood is to be an event of Saturday. Mrs. Elifson is to be her sister's matron of honor on Saturday.

Miss White is a daughter of the John Whites of 1211 Andrews street, Rockford. Her fiancé is a son of Mrs. Della Wood of Mount Vernon.

KAYAK TRIP

John Abbott, Jr., of Walnut is one of five senior Boy Scouts who left Sunday on a two weeks' kayak trip on the Mississippi river and Hennepin canal. Others in the group are Field Executive Don Von Pein, Dick Cook, Bill Schoenberger and Bob Stager of Princeton.

The quintet is traveling in three 14-foot kayaks which were made or earned by the boys themselves, and will camp in the open. They went to Dubuque, Iowa by automobile on Sunday to begin their journey.

ATTEND REUNION

Dixon relatives attending the annual Muench reunion on Sunday at Lawrence park, Sterling, included Mr. and Mrs. Frank Alter, Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Prescott, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Muench, Charles Muench and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Manon and family.

NURSERY MOTHERS

Nursery School Mothers will meet at 7:30 o'clock this evening at the home of Mrs. J. Burke, 409 East Fifth.

For Campus Wear



Practical and just right for wear on a college campus is this shawl that Hollywood's Jean Rogers wears in place of a hat. It's of plaid wool that matches her brown and mustard yellow plaid skirt.

ARRIVES FOR SUMMER VISIT

Miss Dolores Fauth of Laramie, Wyo., reached Dixon Sunday morning for a three-week visit with Mrs. John Fauths and daughter, Miss Lois, of 706 South Hennepin. Miss Fauth, a former Dixon teacher, has just completed work for a master's degree at the University of Wyoming at Laramie.

Political science was Miss Fauth's major, and history and sociology were her minors. She is a security member in the Laramie high school.

FROM COLORADO

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Lindell and their young son, Stevie, and Miss Alice Richardson have returned from Greeley, Colo. Mr. Lindell and Miss Richardson, both members of the Dixon high school faculty, have been working for master's degrees at the State Teacher's College of Education.

Advance news on autumn fashions indicates that there will be a preponderance of jacket dresses in the early fall collections. Even the evening dresses will have their own jackets. For example, one particularly lovely evening frock of turquoise jersey has a matching jacket beautifully embroidered with gold beads. Jackets will be nicely fitted to accent the current long torso silhouette.

For festive iced drinks, fill ice cube trays half full of your favorite soft drink, freeze, then add to each cube section flower-shaped slices of orange or lemon peel, sprigs of fresh mint, or slices of maraschino or minted cherries. Fill ice cube trays with the rest of the soft drink and continue freezing. The decoration will be in the center of the clear, sparkling cube.

Odd pieces of plastic furniture blend beautifully into the modern type room. One of the newest is a magazine rack, entirely of crystal-clear plastic, in graceful basket shape. Two solid sheets form the sides, rings at either end keep the magazines from sliding out and a top handle makes it easy to move about. This modern plastic is surprisingly light weight and almost unbreakable.

ON VACATION

Miss Bettie Haines is vacationing for two weeks from her work downtown. She expects to spend next week at Hammond, Ind., with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Haines, until recently of this city.

Clubs

Townsend Club No. 1 will meet in Woodman hall at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening.

Will Celebrate Fiftieth Year

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. White of 230 Lincoln Way will observe their golden wedding anniversary with a two-day celebration during the coming week end. The couple will be honored on Saturday at St. Paul's Lutheran church, with members of the Aid society as hostesses, and on Sunday, they will receive at an informal open house between 2 and 4 p. m.

The couple was married Aug. 17, 1890 at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Daehler, two miles west of Sublette, with the Rev. W. E. Mason, pastor of the Amboy Baptist church, officiating. Mrs. White was formerly Miss Katherine Daehler.

The Whites have resided in Dixon for the past 22 years. He is a retired farmer.

All of the couple's five children, as well as their 24 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren, expect to be present for the anniversary festivities. The children are the Rev. Wilson W. White of Le Mars, Iowa; Mrs. Warren Hetherington, Fuiton, Mo.; Glenn White, Harmon; Alford White, Lee Center; and Mrs. Bessie Rice of this city.

The Rev. and Mrs. Wilson W. White reached Dixon last evening from Le Mars, accompanied by Arnold Marzolf of Drake, N. D., a ministerial student at Western Union college in Le Mars, who has written a poem in courtesy to Mr. and Mrs. White. The Hetheringtons are expected to arrive on Thursday.

KANSAS GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Franks and daughter Kathleen and Mrs. John Hamilton of Winfield, Kan. are due to reach Dixon tomorrow morning for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Lou Franks. Willard Franks and Mrs. Hamilton are cousins of their hosts.

White Wool



Margaret Vyner, noted Australian actress, wears one of the creations with which Britons hope to tempt Miss and Mrs. America. It is a Norman Hartnell dinner dress in white wool. The long skirt is ray-pleated, and sparkling sequins trim the jacket collar and pockets.

PERSONALS

Mrs. A. W. Lord went to Hinsdale today to spend a week with her son, Attorney John Lord and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Kelly, Francis Perkinson, Helen Friel and Regina Morrison spent Sunday visiting Deer park, near Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Irving, daughter Helen Mae and son Bobby of Sycamore were week end guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Schoen, Mrs. Irving and children remaining to spend the week.

John R. McLane went to Springfield this morning where he is attending a meeting of architects.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kersten of Ashton township visited with friends in Dixon last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith, Miss Lorraine Thodes and Paul Joyn returned from a vacation at Crystal Lake, Mich.

Mrs. I. B. Potter and daughter Mabel Louise have returned from a visit of several days with relatives in Cincinnati, Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Beard have returned home from a delightful vacation outing spent at Eagle River, Wis.

Charles E. Miller has returned to the Mayo clinic at Rochester, Minn., where he is to undergo a minor operation.

James Bishop has gone to Rochester, Minn., to enter the Mayo clinic for observation and treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Rippeon and son Ben, Jr. have returned from a two weeks' vacation in the east. They visited relatives in Frederick, Md., Baltimore, and Washington, D. C., and also viewed the National cemetery at Arlington, Va.

Mrs. George Fruin and daughter, Miss Dorothy, motored to Prophetstown this morning to spend the day visiting with relatives.

A. J. Long of Sterling was a

Dixon business visitor this morning.

Paul Fisher of Rochelle transacted business in Dixon today.

Edward Conroy and daughter Helen and son Thomas of Chicago spent Sunday visiting the Ross Cooper home, Miss Mayme Conroy, and Mrs. Daniel Klein.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Stauffer and daughters and son Lucile and Dorothy and Donald left Saturday morning on a two week's vacation trip through Iowa and the Black Hills.

Donald Walburg returned to Oregon today, after spending a few days with his grandmother, Mrs. Cora Etheridge, and his mother, Mrs. Arvilla Walburg. Mrs. Walburg left yesterday for Chicago to complete her study as a beautician, preparatory for state board examinations.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Thomson and daughter Alice, who are vacationing in northern Iowa this week, were due to reach Grand Junction today. They expect to return to Dixon on Saturday evening.

Mrs. Harry Edwards and mother, Mrs. Bastar, are spending the remainder of the month in Berwyn at the home of Mrs. Bastar's daughter.

Church Societies

Sermon Subjects—Mrs. A. A. Carpenter, evangelist, will tell the second installment of "My Wonderful Experience" at services at 7:45 o'clock this evening at the tent, corner of Van Bureau and First street. Her subject for tomorrow evening will be "Who Is to Blame if Your Prayers Are Unanswered?"

W. M. S.—Mrs. Charles Kreger will be hostess to the W. M. S. of the Evangelical church at Eldena on Thursday afternoon.

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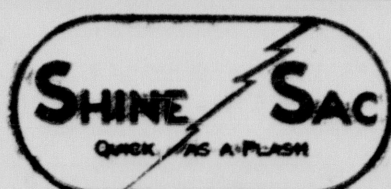
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"Excessive partiality for one foreign nation and
excessive dislike of another cause those whom they
actuate to see danger only on one side, and serve to
veil and even second the arts of influence on the
other. Real patriots who may resist the intrigues
of the favorite are liable to become suspected and
odious, while its tools and dupes usurp the ap-
plause and confidence of the people to surrender
their interests." From the Farmwell Address.

Britain Clings to Freedom

With its back to the wall, face-to-face with a
continual drain of nerve-racking destruction, Brit-
ain continues to cling firmly to its traditional free-
dom to say what it pleases.

Recently Duft Cooper's Ministry of Informa-
tion tried to clamp many restrictions on British
publications. He found himself on the receiving end
of bitter attacks like that of the London Daily Mail,
which charged, "His aim is to hamper, restrict, and
penalize the press, to tighten upon it the grip of the

dead hand of that masterpiece of British democracy,
the Ministry of Information."

Similarly, when Lord Beaverbrook appealed for
aluminum pots and pans to provide scrap aluminum
for airplanes, tons of the material were collected,
and the drive was a success. But critics leaped
on the collection, suggesting that scrap merchants
already had vast stocks on hand for which there was
no demand. And Beaverbrook had to admit, in a
letter to the Times, that scrap stock was not wanted,
being of inferior quality for airplane work.

To see such criticism made and permitted in
the face of so great an emergency is to realize how
deeply imbedded in the Anglo-Saxon spirit is the
right to sound off.

We're Over the Hump of Summer

There is some consolation in the fact that we
are over the hump of hot weather, if we go by
averages compiled by the federal weather bureau
for this area.

The longest day in the year, and consequently
the one with the most sunshine, comes in June. On
paper, therefore, that day ought to be the hottest.
But it takes the earth and seas some time to absorb
heat, so that July really is the warmest month, with
an adopted normal temperature of 75 degrees. Au-
gust, which can inflict itself upon us only four
weeks and three days has an adopted normal of 73
degrees. Blessed September has a normal of 66—
but why go any further? After that we may be
complaining of the cold.

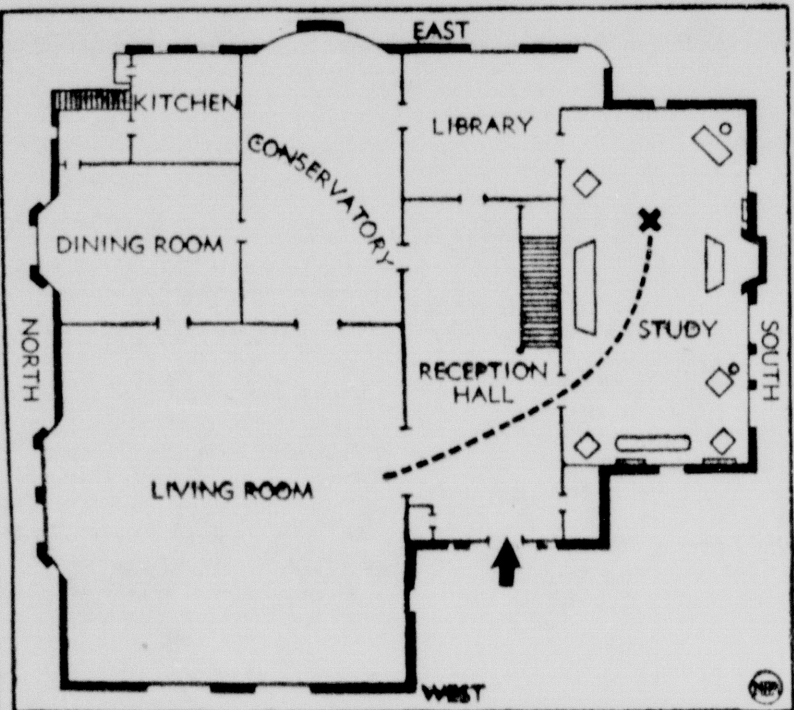
In a year when the rain-maker's local spigot
seems to be clogged it is also comforting to know
that August normally has a little more rain than
July. Adopted normal precipitation for July is
3.33 inches, while August is expected to bring 3.49
inches. September ought to deliver 3.58 inches.
Even if we get every inch of rain on average sched-
ule for August and September, it still will be too
dry. Jupiter Pluvius needs to tie open the faucet
and go away and forget about it.

SERIAL STORY

MURDER INCOGNITO

BY NORMAN KAHN

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Floor plan of Martin Saylor's home. "X" marks position
of Saylor's body in study. His five dinner guests
were in the living room at left.

YESTERDAY: Martin Saylor in-
vites five guests for dinner. Dale
Appleby, his stepson, whose for-
tune Saylor refused to release;
Rhoda Waters, Dale's sweetheart,
whom Saylor has called a gold-
digger; Hazel Leighton, in whom
Saylor is interested; Winslow
Mardell, a gambler; and George
Barbour, Saylor's law partner.
After talking to Barbour, Saylor
returns to his study alone. In 20
minutes Hazel goes to the door.
Ends Saylor dead.

CHAPTER II

THE still form of Martin Saylor
was a thing of hideous fas-
cination. One arm encircled his
head, buried partly in the rug.
The other came out straight from
his body and bent at the elbow.
Only the white sleeve of his linen
suit seemed stained by the blood
that darkened the rug.

The five of them stood for min-
utes in the doorway. It was Bar-
bour who finally broke the spell.
"Well, I'll be—I suppose that
had to happen sooner or later."
"Maybe he's still alive," Rhoda
suggested.

Dale looked at her, and she
thought she recognized a glimmer
of something fearful in his eyes.
"Let's see," he said. They didn't
need to look too closely. As they
stood over the body, they could
see one side of Saylor's face. His
eye was still open—still hard and
frigid. There wasn't any ques-
tion about it. Martin Saylor was
dead.

Mardell bent down and put his
hand on the dead man's shoulder.
"Don't touch him," Dale com-
manded. "What are you trying to
do?"

Mardell straightened. "I was
just going to turn him over."
"Well, don't. Don't anybody
touch a thing. Not until the police
get here."

Hazel stiffened. "The police?
Must we—"

Dale turned toward her and said

dully, "What do you think?"

From the library, at the other
end of the room, a tall, gray-
haired man in butler's livery had
entered the room and was stand-
ing stiffly at attention. "Is there
anything I can do, sir?" he asked.

Dale turned toward the butler.
"Nothing at the moment, Willows.
Mr. Saylor is dead."

"Yes, sir, I know." And there
was no sorrow in his voice.

"Go back to the kitchen and
tell the others to remain there
until the police arrive."

Willows retreated. Dale hurried
over to the desk in the southeast
corner of the room, diagonally
across from the doorway through
which they had entered to dis-
cover the body. He picked up
the telephone and asked for police
headquarters.

Barbour stood peering out of
the heavily curtained French win-
dows that broke the array of
bookcases just west of the desk.
Dale cautioned him not to touch
anything and then he turned his
attention back to the instrument
in his hand.

"Homicide squad? Who's in
charge there now? Lieutenant
O'Leary. Thank you, may I speak
to him?" A brief pause. "Lieut-
enant, Dale Appleby is my name.
My stepfather, Martin Saylor, has
just been shot to death. . . . Yes,
I wish you would. Fifteen
minutes, then. Yes, everyone will
stay here." He gave the address
and hung up.

"Can't we wait in the other
room?" Rhoda asked.

"I think it would be better."

Dale agreed. "The police will be
along quickly. Just tell them what
you know about this. Lord knows
that isn't very much."

THE police weren't long in com-
ing. Dale was standing at the
drawing room window when the
lights of several cars flashed up
the driveway. Dale himself went
to the door and admitted two men
in civilian attire and three uni-
form officers.

Lieutenant O'Leary introduced
himself. He was tall and broad,
followed?

shouldered—a tremendous bulk of
a man. But there was a friendly
twinkle in his eye.

"This is Sergeant Carroll," he
pointed to the shorter man, with
fat jowls and unsmiling features.

"I suppose you're Mr. Appleby."

"Yes," said Dale. "The others
are in the drawing room. Noth-
ing's been touched."

O'Leary nodded approval.

"Where is it?"

Dale indicated the closed door
of the study. O'Leary ordered the
uniformed men to wait in the
hallway, and then he led the way
into the study. When he saw

the body, the lieutenant glanced
swiftly at his assistant and then
at Dale.

"How'd it happen, Mr. Apple-
by?" he asked.

"I don't know. We were sitting
in the drawing room. Saylor had
gone back to this room a little
before. He wanted to see one of
his guests—Miss Leighton. When
she came into the room she found
him here—just like this."

"What about the shot?"

"No one heard it."

O'Leary thrust his hands into
his hip pockets and stood for
several minutes studying the
room. It was fully 40 feet long
and more than half as wide. The
entire floor was covered with
heavy carpeting. Three of the
walls faced outside. Along the
north wall, the room could be
entered from both ends—from the
library or the reception hall. The
entire room was lined with book-
cases, windows, several full-
length mirrors and a massive fire-
place in the center of the south
wall. French windows, that
opened nearly to the floor, flanked
one side of Saylor's desk. On the
other side of the fireplace, similar
windows flanked a doorway that
led out onto a broad terrace.

One divan was set directly in
front of the fireplace. Another
stood on the north wall, opposite
between two long mirrors. A
third was placed against the west
wall.

O'Leary motioned Dale into a
chair near the west doorway.

"How long was your stepfather
in the drawing room before he
went into the study?"

"Just a few minutes. He'd been
in this room with Mr. Barbour,
one of the guests, and they came
out together. He said he would
see Miss Leighton in 10 minutes,
and then he came in here. Hazel
—Miss Leighton waited 20 min-
utes and then came in here."

"What time was that?"

"Nine-thirty."

"How long was Miss Leighton
in the room before the rest of you
followed?"

"As a matter of fact, she wasn't
in the room at all. She was at
the doorway. As soon as she
opened it, she screamed, and the
rest of us came running."

Sergeant Carroll entered the
room, followed by a small, bald
man with steel-rimmed spectacles
and a thin, gray mustache.

"Here's the doc," Carroll said
brusquely.

O'Leary quickly introduced
Dale and the medical examiner.

"Now, Mr. Appleby," O'Leary
suggested, "if there's some other
place we can go for a few min-
utes, we can finish our talk. I

think you'd rather not be here
while the details are taken care
of."

"There's the library," Dale said.

"What was going on here?"

O'Leary asked, after they were
seated.

"Nothing in particular. Just a
little dinner party."

"Did your uncle often have
them?"

"No, as a matter of fact he
didn't. They were a bit rare."

"What was the occasion for this
one?"

Dale traced the tapeless figures in
the plush arm of his chair. "Why,
I—I really don't know. That is,
there was nothing—no occasion
really."

O'Leary smiled faintly. "Okay.
We'll get to that later."

The medical examiner appeared
at the doorway. "May I speak to
you a moment, Lieutenant?"

The burly officer walked to the
doorway and consulted the doctor
briefly. When he returned to his
chair, he said, "Your stepfather's
body will be removed at once. A
further examination will be made
down town. The doctor confirmed
the fact that he was shot."

Dale seemed uninterested.

"There's a thing I must ask
you, Mr. Appleby," O'Leary con-
tinued. "Did you touch the body?"

Dale shook his head. "No. No
one did."

"You didn't turn it over?"

"And you're sure no one heard
the shot?"

"Positive."

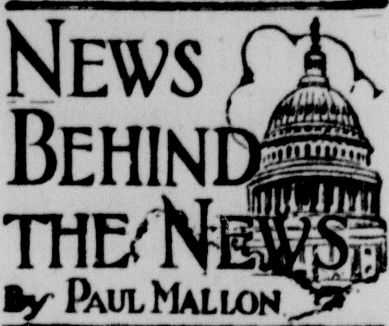
O'Leary settled back into his
chair. "That's strange," he mused.
"Very strange."

Dale's interest awakened.

"Something wrong, Lieutenant?"

"I was just wondering," O'Leary
said casually, "how you happened
to know your stepfather was shot.
That's what you told me over the
telephone. You didn't hear a shot.
And there was no way you could
tell by just looking. It might have
been anything—stabbing, for ex-
ample. But you said he was shot."

(To Be Continued)



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Washington, Aug. 13.—Indis-
tinct noises indicating discontent with
the Republican organization are
genuine groans and grunts against
the way Wendell Willkie has been
handling the party routine. A good
many of the in-and-out-of-season
party lieutenants apparently re-
sented Willkie's failure to set up an
orthodox single unit party organi-
zation along historic Republican
lines. One eminent gentleman who
waved the flag for Willkie at
Philadelphia, for instance, has
spent most of the ensuing period
sulking with a fishing rod in the
north woods. Others have been
whispering that the organization
work is far below previous cam-
paigns. Still more, capable of
making Republican financial pre-
dictions, are privately prophesying
Willkie will not be able to raise
sufficient funds the way he
has been going, not even the
extremely modest \$2,500,000 to
which he restricted his organiza-
tion.

Willkie has apparently heard
these noises and is moving swiftly
to correct the situation. It appears
he went into this campaign de-
termined to cast a wholly new
spirit into the Republican party,
and did not want too many old
faces in the front row. It is pos-
sible he has also had less respect
for organization than those more
experienced party men who have
been closely associated with pre-
vious campaigns.

A compromise seems in the
making. While Willkie will un-
doubtedly conduct an individualistic
campaign, the steps now afoot
should swing the older party peo-
ple into action.

This election will be settled be-
tween September 15 and October
15. In those 30 days Willkie
either will or will not gather the
confidence of a sufficient number
of the great mass of independent
voters to determine the majority.
This opinion represents an almost
complete view of a great number
of politicians in both parties who
believe Roosevelt is doing just
about all he can do in conducting
his campaign by inspecting na-
tional defense projects, and that
the result will be determined by
what Willkie does.

The way new deal pitch-men are
taking up the subject of drafting
capital has inspired some popular
suspicions that they may have a
plan. They have and several.
Long before Mrs. Roosevelt start-
ed advancing the idea in her col-
umn, Jerome Frank, chairman of
the Securities Exchange Commis-
sion, hinted in a speech before the
War College that he had been
rummaging around in the May-
nard Keynes realm for a new pro-
gram to conscript the vast reser-
voirs of savings from banks. No. 1
brain trust, Assistant State Sec-
retary Berle, had even earlier
started working on a program of
creating government-sponsored
capital banks to finance trade ex-
pansion.

But Leon Henderson, assistant
to Frank and the price man in the
National Defense Commission, is
understood to be the inspiration
behind the current renewal of agi-
tation. He has been silently crad-
ling a proposal concerning the re-
laxation of banks to the defense
program which may turn out to be
the new rabbit.

How far the agitation is likely
to go is not yet clear. Much of
the officially sponsored talk here
seems to have a wholly political
flavor. The idea of conscripting
capital makes an excellent official
offer to the debate in congress
on the bill to draft young men
from 21 to 31. Yet at root there
is obvious widespread sentiment
among new dealers to have the
treasury take idle savings and
capital at some insignificant rate
of interest such as one-half of one
per cent, to finance a way if there
is to be one and perhaps even the
current national defense program.

The whiskers of naval admirals
have been blown askew by rumors
that new Navy Secretary Frank
Knox quietly called in a Chicago
firm of efficiency experts to find
where the department could be
improved.

If there is anything which would
give the old salts double apoplexy
with a side case of palsy, it is a
prospect of reforming the manner
in which things have been done
traditionally in that department.
No navy secretary has yet won
over the admirals. Developments
are awaited.

Births

BALLY: A son, born Aug. 9 to
Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Bally at their
home, 610 First avenue.

HACKBARTH: Born to Mr.
and Mrs. Walter HackbARTH of
route 1, Dixon, at the Katherine
Shaw Bethel hospital Aug. 12, a
daughter.

Happy Birthday

AUGUST 14
Ray Frazier, Anne Marie Coop-
er, Darlene Schulte, route 2; Doris
Hackman, Steward; Junior Lah-
man, Harmon; Velma Schaefer,
Harmon.

COLLISION AT SEA

London, Aug. 13.—(AP)—Reut-
ters, British news agency, reported
from Capetown, South Africa, to-
day that the 18,713-ton British
mercer Ceramic and the 5,083-ton
freighter Tasbagan had been dam-
aged in a collision in the South At-
lantic.

The agency said both were pro-
ceeding to a harbor.

Years Ago

(From Dixon Telegraph)

38 YEARS AGO
U. S. Senator Shelby M. Cul-
um and U. S. Secretary of Agri-
culture James Wilson were prom-
inent speakers appearing at the
Rock River Assembly today.
The Elks will hold a big picnic
Aug. 20 at Truman park, up the
river.

25 YEARS AGO
Dr. L. R. Trowbridge's office
was robbed of apparatus and sup-
plies valued at about \$100 during
Thursday night.

Hundreds of Sterling people
were attending the Assembly to-
day hearing the Boston sextette
which is featured on Sterling day.
Webster Poole's car dropped off
the side of a small culvert east of
Sterling last evening, the occu-
pants escaping without injury.

10 YEARS AGO

A number of Dixon's Civil War
veterans are attending the reunion
of the Northwestern Soldiers and
Sailors reunion at Polo today.
The new automatic electric traf-
fic signals on the new Peoria av-
enue bridge are being connected
today.

Funerals

Suburban—

MRS. HENRY HELMERHAUSEN

The funeral of Mrs. Henry
(Frances K.) Helmerhausen, whose
death from a heart ailment at her
home in Franklin Grove Monday
morning was announced in last
evening's Telegraph, will be held
at the Hicks funeral home in
Franklin Grove at 2:30 o'clock to-
morrow afternoon, followed by
burial in the Franklin Grove cem-
etery.

She is survived by her husband,
three sisters, Miss Nettie Loy of
New Bremen, O., and Mrs. Willard
Otterbaugh and Mrs. Ross Hotch-
kiss, both of Mendota; five broth-
ers, Harvey Loy of Hammond, O.,
Elmer Loy of Greensville, O., Al-
bert Loy of Fort Laramie, O., Wal-

ter Loy of Kettlersville, O., and
Frank Loy of Ada, O.

WILLIAM KOONTZ

The funeral of William Koontz,
70, of Mount Morris, who passed
away at his home there Sunday
morning, will be held at 2 o'clock
tomorrow afternoon at the Metho-
dist church in Mount Morris, fol-
lowed by burial in Plainview cem-
etery. The Rev. William Manny will
officiate.

A native of Mount Morris, Mr.
Koontz was born April 18, 1870.
In 1895 he was married to Sadie
Domer, who preceded him in death
about six weeks ago.

Surviving are a daughter, Vivian
at home; a foster-daughter, Mrs.
Amy Hendricks of Rochelle; and
two sisters, Mrs. Lulu Noble and
Mrs. Grace Marshall, both of Mt.
Morris.

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ft L 2 B 36 W Dixon.

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Wm. F. McCollum et ux \$1.00 L 2
& S 1/2 L 3 B 60 W Dixon.

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Carl E. Plovman, et ux \$1.00 Pt L
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Harold Peterson, et ux \$1.00 pt
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Minnie Lindbloom WD to Anna
Bennett \$1.00, pt L 1 B 57 W, Dix-
on.

Releases

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City Nat. Bk. to Harold L.
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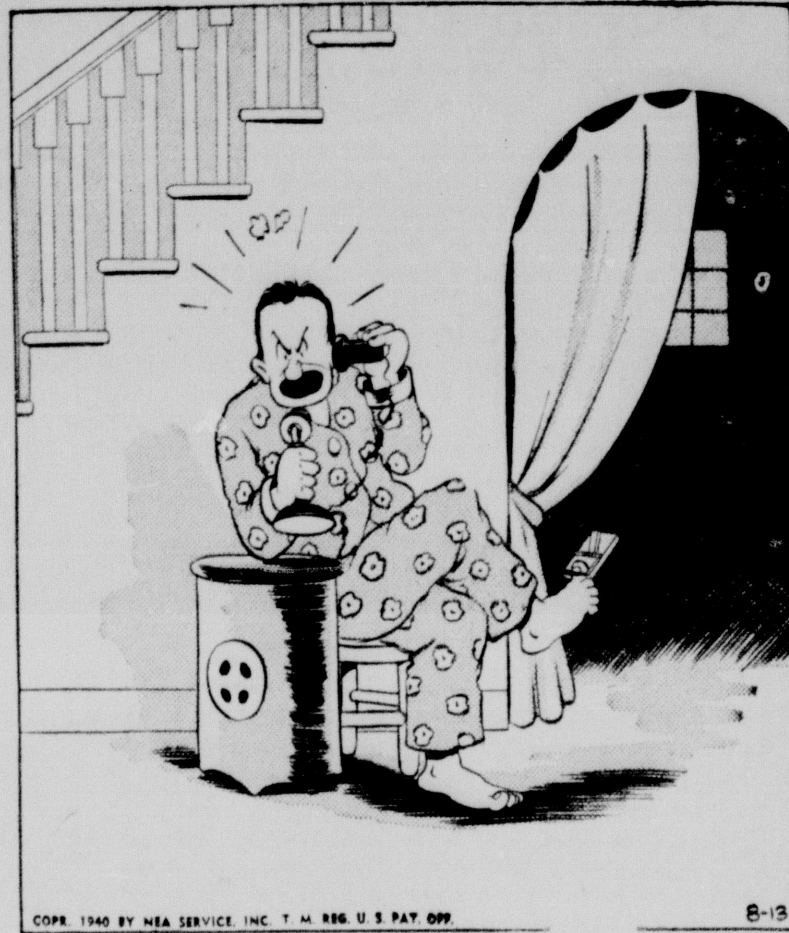
Clyde Lenox, Tr. to Lee W. Hess
et ux.

Ada M. Hursh to Warren A.
Shippert, et ux.

Hattie Whitman to Harry R.
Town, et ux.

City Nat. Bk. to Paul L. Reilly,
et ux.

HOLD EVERYTHING!



Heavy Storm Damage in Boone Co. Monday

Belvidere, Ill., Aug. 13.—(AP)—
A storm dropping hailstorms that
killed chickens and stunned hogs
last night inflicted damage to
crops and farm property estimated
at \$50,000, the Boone county farm
bureau reported.

The worst damage was done to
cornfields, the bureau reported.
Many crops were stripped by the
strong wind, hailstones the size of
refrigerator ice cubes and drench-
ing rains.

Trees and communications poles
were felled and trees uprooted
through a mile and one-half belt
extending from Irene northward.

At the farm of Supervisor Paul
Bates in Flora township, 30 win-
dows were broken and numerous
trees broken off.

Near Oregon, in Ogle county
lightning started two fires.

AGAIN HEADS W. C. T. U.

Chicago, Aug. 13.—(AP)—Mrs.
Ida B. Wise Smith of Evanston,
Ill., was re-elected president of the
National Woman's Christian Tem-
perance Union for the seventh con-
secutive time today.

Mrs. D. Leigh Colvin of New
York, vice president, also was re-
elected for the seventh time by
delegates to the W. C. T. U. 66th
annual convention.



What does this mean?
Get your mirror and see!

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By HARRY GRAYSON
NEA Sports Editor

Bimelech is Col. Edward Riley Bradley's horse to do with as he pleases, but his removing Frank Smith in favor of Basil James in the American Derby strikes me as being unfair.

This desperate effort to get something more out of an inconsistent colt is a reflection on Smith.

Smith certainly was given a thorough trial. It took Colonel Bradley and his veteran trainer, Bill Hurley, a long time to find out that the little Cuban did not rate Bimelech properly.

Smith was good enough to keep Bimelech unbeaten in his 2-year-old year . . . to close out the season so full of run that Colonel Bradley challenged Bill Brann to send the mighty Chaldon against the last son of Black Tony in a weight-for-age race.

Smith was severely criticized when Carroll Bierman sneaked Galahadon through on the rail to bag the Kentucky Derby. The answer to that one is that Smith had Bimelech in front at the head of the stretch, and couldn't very well get off and carry him in.

Inasmuch as Bimelech was bred to be a sprinter, the trick with the Bibblich-named colt is to conserve him while he is on top.

Smith held him together well and long enough to win the mile-and-a-half Belmont stakes.

An inept jockey could not have done that.

The art of guiding the blood horse changes little through the years. The boy must get his horse away. He must have a good seat and hands. He must let his steed have his head at a natural angle . . . accurately judge pace, avoid being cut off, jostled or brushed, and be on the alert lest he go up on the heels of a runner another reinsman is taking back. He must use the whip judiciously.

Smith knows race riding as well as Basil James or any other jockey, and it is pretty harsh at this stage to indicate through dismissal that he does not react as rapidly as some others.

I don't know just what errors Colonel Bradley and Hurley suspect Smith made, but a good rider should not be picked to pieces, let alone kicked off a thoroughbred, for an occasional mistake on an oval with sharp turns. A jockey is only human. The best of them blunder.

I doubt that any of Smith's "bad" rides would have been noticed had not Bimelech been so widely ballyhooed in the spring.

Bimelech was twice beaten so far that the finest of riders would not have saved him.

The unseating of Frank Smith appears to be just another excuse for a dishonest horse.

TONIGHT'S BOUT MAY WIND UP IN SPLIT DECISION

Both Conn and Pastor are
Fast; Neither is
Knock-Outer

BY GAYLE TALBOT

New York, Aug. 13.—(AP)—Possibly the safest prediction that can be made about tonight's fight between Bob Pastor and Billy Conn at the Polo Grounds is that it will go 15 fast rounds to a split decision, with the manager of the losing gladiator yelling murder at the verdict.

A fight between two such clever but tight-hitting men usually ends that way, barring a bad cut that forces the referee to stop it.

Because neither fighter is a knock-outer, the match has not created a great deal of interest and might not draw more than \$80,000 at the gate. Still, it should be an exciting scrap for both Conn and Pastor are fast, smart and willing, and they are soft hitters only in comparison to a sickening puncher like Joe Louis.

Pastor Has Edge

It still is a mystery to at least one impartial observer why Conn has been a favorite ever since the articles were signed. By every yardstick in common use—experience, weight, defensive ability and fire power—Pastor appears to have a distinct edge. Anyhow, he looks like the more sensible choice.

There are several intangible factors that have influenced the odds. The sharpers think maybe Pastor had a year or two of his career knocked out of him in his last fight with Louis in Detroit.

Another angle is that Promoter Mike Jacobs undoubtedly would prefer for Conn to win and provide him with an opponent for Louis, the only fighter who makes important money for a promoter today. Mike has no intention of putting Pastor in with the champion again.

No Outstanding Three-Year-Old in Circuit

Goshen, N. Y., Aug. 13.—(AP)—There's no outstanding three-year-old trotter performing on the Grand Circuit and hence there's no favorite for the rich Hambletonian tomorrow.

Instead, when perhaps 50,000 fans pack themselves into Good Time park, they'll have to choose among a half-dozen evenly-matched horses.

The payment of the final \$500 fees today will determine the exact number of starters and indications are there will be at least 10, bringing the gross value of the race to about \$44,000.

Of these milestones, Spencer Scott, Kuno, Earl's Moody Guy and Remus are given about even chances. The other five likely starters, none a rank outsider, are Steward, Princess Pert, Queen Victoria, Sister Hanover and Gentlemen Jim.

One thing seems sure, the Hambletonian record of 2:01½, made by Hollywood Dennis in 1934, isn't likely to be broken. None of the contenders has come close to the mark and the track at Good Time park has been slow. Even the great Greyhound couldn't do better than 2:02½ yesterday.

HOW THEY STAND

NATIONAL LEAGUE			
	W	L	Pct
Cincinnati	46	37	.554
Brooklyn	42	42	.500
New York	42	46	.500
Pittsburgh	53	49	.520
Chicago	54	54	.500
St. Louis	49	52	.485
Boston	39	63	.382
Philadelphia	33	66	.333

Games Today
St. Louis at Chicago.
New York at Boston.
Philadelphia at Brooklyn.
Cincinnati at Pittsburgh.

Results Yesterday
Pittsburgh 4; Cincinnati 2.
St. Louis at Chicago, postponed, rain.

Only games scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE			
	W	L	Pct
Cleveland	65	44	.596
Detroit	64	45	.587
Boston	58	49	.542
Chicago	54	50	.519
New York	53	51	.510
Washington	47	59	.442
St. Louis	46	65	.414
Philadelphia	40	64	.385

Games Today
Chicago at St. Louis.
Detroit at Cleveland.
Washington at Philadelphia.

Results Yesterday
Cleveland 8; Detroit 5.
Chicago 6; St. Louis 5 (night).

Only games scheduled.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION			
	W	L	Pct
Kansas City	75	38	.664
Minneapolis	64	44	.592
Columbus	62	51	.551
St. Paul	55	58	.487
Louisville	55	59	.482
Toledo	47	65	.420
Indianapolis	45	65	.409
Milwaukee	42	65	.393

Games Today
Milwaukee at Toledo.
Kansas City at Columbus.
St. Paul at Louisville.
Minneapolis at Indianapolis.

Results Yesterday
Toledo 8; Milwaukee 4 (night).
Minneapolis 11; St. Paul 2 (night).

Only games scheduled.

THREE EYE
Springfield 4; Evansville 2.
Cedar Rapids 6; Madison 5.
Decatur 4; Moline 2.
Waterloo at Clinton, postponed, rain.

Star as Indians Take League Lead



(NEA Telephoto.)

The quartet that played leading roles as Cleveland jumped into first place in the American league by defeating the Detroit Tigers. Left to right: Hal Trosky, Bob Feller, Roy Weatherly, and Beau Bell. Feller pitched his 20th win this season; the other three hit homers in the crucial game.

ALL-STAR BASEBALL POLL

ILLINOIS STATE LEAGUE

(Conducted by the Evening Telegraph)

Catcher	from
First Baseman	from
Second Baseman	from
Third Baseman	from
Shortstop	from
Outfielder	from
Outfielder	from
Outfielder	from
Pitcher	from
Pitcher	from
Manager	from
Signed	

Feller May Touch 30-Games Record by Season's End

By LARRY HAUCK

Cleveland, Aug. 13.—(AP)—Al-bert, my scratch paper, please. This is the story of how many games Bob Feller is going to win this season.

Cleveland's ace fireballer, who notched his 20th victory yesterday in pitching the Indians into first place, won't predict. He says mathematics and percentages will supply the answer.

About the pennant race Bob is more definite. He believes the American League chase a Cleveland-Detroit affair, with Boston an outside possibility; that the Indians will win and meet Cincinnati in an all-Ohio world series, and that the New York Yankees are through for the season.

Noting the Redskins have 45 more games to play, Feller hazarded this:

"If I start 12 games, I ought to win eight of them.

"So much depends on how the team happens to be hitting on the days I pitch," Bob added. "My arm feels fine. My most serious physical trouble of the season came yesterday—I had a stiff neck because I forgot to turn off the air-conditioning on the train from St. Louis.

Stays Off Limb
"In this stretch drive, relief assignments will affect the number of games I start. I can't go out on a limb."

All right, Albert, more paper and the records.

Feller now has only six defeats against his 20 victories.

On this date last year his won-and-lost record was 17-6. He finished with 24-9. On that basis he should win 27.

In 1938 he showed 12-6 on August 13 and finished with 17-11. That pace would mean 25.

If Bob continues his present rate of winning and starts 12 more games—and open dates in September make the dozen figure a pretty reliable guess—he would win 9½ games. That would make 29½.

So if Feller wants to let mathematics answer for him, the 1940 pace figures say he'll be just an eyelash from the much-coveted 30-victory mark when the curtain goes down.

BADGERS LOST GUARD
Madison, Wis.—Orville Fox, Wisconsin letterman guard, will be out of action this fall with a broken leg suffered while sliding in a baseball game.

STRICTLY DRY
Logan, W. V.—The Logan club of the Mountain State League hasn't had to postpone a game because of rain for almost three years.

FOXX GETS LOBSTERS
Boston—Every time Jimmy Fox of the Red Sox hits a homer he receives a big lobster from a Massachusetts fisherman.

LOPEZ IS SPARK OF FAST-COMING PIRATES OUTFIT

Catcher's Handling of Young Pitchers Shows in Team's Record

By BILL WHITE

Associated Press Sports Writer
He's listed in the box score as a catcher, but Al Lopez's Pittsburgh Pirate mates all call him "Winning Pitcher Al" and they point to him as the sparkplug in baseball's most sensational winning drive.

The Bucs, who have known the dreags of last place but are now only a game and a half behind the third-place Giants, were paced to their 20th win in their last 25 starts last night by Lopez—a 4-2 victory over the Cincinnati Reds and Bucky Walters.

The experts, digging into the Pirate performance, have come up with this excellent answer to the why and wherefore of that success: It's Lopez's handling of the pitchers—young Ken Heintzelman, John Lanning, Dick Lannahan and Rip Sewell—that has made the Bucs the hottest club in the big leagues.

Lopez modestly credits the team's fielding as the reason for the upswing. Manager Frankie Frisch says its because the club "is hustling and getting the breaks." But the ball players, who ought to know, thank Al for their inspiration.

Last night, for instance, Al scored the first Pirate run in the sixth inning, which he opened with a single. He singled Frankie Gustine home with another in the seventh after the young second sacker personally had pounded Elbie Fletcher home, to the great delight of 42,254 fans, who incidentally brought the attendance for seven night games to 167,930.

Butcher Holds Reds
Big Max Butcher had the Reds in control all the way, parcelling out nine hits, including a four-bagger by Schoenzy Lombardi. Walters, losing his eighth game of the year, was touched for 10 hits.

Meanwhile the Cleveland Indians whacked out 12 hits, including three homers, to hand Master Bobby Feller his 20th victory of the year and take undisputed possession of first place in the American League with an 8-5 victory over the Detroit Tigers.

Feller held the Bengals to seven hits and brought his strike-out total for the year to 197 with seven Bobby was in trouble in the seventh when he walked three men in a row—and the Tigers capitalized on it and scored three runs.

Hal Trosky, Beau Bell and Roy Weatherly hit for the circuit to keep the Indians' victory torch a-light, and Ben Chapman paced the attack with three singles.

Hal Newhouse, the Detroit starter, was chased in the first inning and charged with his ninth defeat of the season.

A crowd of 23,720 saw the game—one of the biggest week-day gatherings in Cleveland history.

In the only other major league game, Jimmy Webb doubled in the ninth to score Bob Kennedy and give the Chicago White Sox a 6-5 victory over the St. Louis Browns in a night contest in St. Louis. The Sox left 17 men stranded, one short of the league record.

YESTERDAY'S STARS

By The Associated Press
Bob Feller, Indians—Won his 20th game by stopping the Detroit Tigers with a seven-hit performance.

Al Lopez, Pirates—Sparked the Bucs to a 4-2 win over Reds with two timely hits.

Jimmy Webb, White Sox—Doubled to send Bob Kennedy home with winning run in Sox 6-5 victory over St. Louis Browns.

LYONS FEARS KNIFE

Chicago—Although Ted Lyons has been bothered by chronic appendicitis for four or five years, the White Sox pitcher refuses to undergo an operation.

ON THE SIDE EDDIE BRIETZ' ROUNDUP GOSSIP OF SPORTS

New York, Aug. 13.—Billy Conn, the light heavyweight champ, fought six prelim fights on cards featuring Ken Overlin, the N. Y.-California middleweight champ, in Pittsburgh. . . . Baltimore now is the glamour spot for the better class bums. Baltimore takes care of all expenses and keeps the big shots around throughout the tournaments, even if they are eliminated in the first round. . . . If you're looking for a long shot that may come through, pick Milestone to win the Hambletonian Wednesday.

Today's Guest Star—

Louis C. Cook, Douglas (Wyo.) Enterprise: "Mike Jacobs is considering purchasing the Brooklyn Dodgers. . . . Well, there's one thing about it, the Dodgers in one corner and Joe Louis in the other would draw a mighty big crowd."

Texas fans are wondering why Homer Norton of the Texas Aggies didn't make a better showing in the poll to select a coach for the college all-star squad. . . . All Homer did last season was have a perfect year, then lick Tulane, in the Sugar Bowl. . . . There are whispers around Pittsburgh that Carnegie Tech may drop football altogether in a few years.

Selected Shorts—

Connie Mack is bowing right and left for developing Rip Radcliff, the real American League batting leader, and Lou Finney, who is third. . . . Monty Stratton's artificial leg cracked up while he was coaching at first base the other day, but Monty doesn't blame the termites.

Hornsby Record May Return Him to Major League

Oklahoma City, Aug. 13.—(AP)—If there's a spot in next year's major league baseball show for the manager who turns in the best performance in the minors in 1940, just wrap it up for Rogers Hornsby of Oklahoma City's Indians.

They're calling the Rajah the "manager of the year" in the Texas League for his trick of transforming the Tribe from a seventh-place weakling into a dangerous pennant contender.

With the club floundering helplessly just one notch out of the cellar, Hornsby took over on June 8.

He lost no time in kindling a fire under the lethargic Indians and they jumped clear into the first division.

They had won only 26 games and lost 35 when the Rajah stepped in, but they welcomed their new skipper with six straight wins. They recently won nine in a row.

There have been rumors that the man who has managed four major league teams in his colorful career is set to return to the big time in 1941. As far as Hornsby is concerned, "they're still just rumors."

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Mrs. Iva Miller is convalescing from an appendectomy she submitted to Saturday at the Rockford hospital.

The annual Grush reunion will be held Sunday at Fall City, Nebraska.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Johnson of Rockford, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Aulls and Mr. and Mrs. E. Hillman of Rockford were dinner guests on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Johnson.

The young people's class of the Christian church and their teacher, Harold Patterson and wife, spent Sunday at Lake Geneva.

Miss Verna Mae Pittenger and Mr. and Mrs. Albert McNames and family of Rockford were week-end guests of the ladies' parents, Mr. and Mrs. U. B. Pittenger, Carolyn and Lloyd McNames remained to spend the week with their grandparents.

Funeral services for William Koontz who died Sunday will be held from the Methodist church Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bucher drove up from Bradford Sunday and brought Mrs. Nancy Pollock to Franklin Grove where she and her grandson, Larry Bucher, attended the Lehman reunion.

Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Grush attended a ball game in Chicago on Monday.

Sunday guests of Mrs. Mary Grush were her sisters, Mrs. Frank Miller and husband of

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Mendota Fair

Mendota Fair which will be held September 1 and 2 will have 66,465 for premiums. \$4,666.50 will be paid in exhibits in the following classes: Class "A", beef and dual purpose cattle, \$704; Class "B", dairy cattle, \$704; Class "C", heavy horses, \$636; Class "D", sheep, \$512; Class "E", swine, \$736; Class "F", poultry, \$208.50; Class "G", agricultural products, \$66; Class "H", horticulture, \$67.50; Class "I", floriculture, \$52.50; Class "J", fine arts, \$89; Class "K", domestic art, \$138.50; Class "L", education, \$73.50; Class "M", dairy, apiary and culinary, \$126; and class "N", junior livestock show, \$584.

A total of \$1,800 in purses will be paid to the winners of the harness races which will be held on Sunday and Monday afternoons.

On Saturday afternoon and evening the first day of the fair Dick Rogers, all-American Motor Maniacs will present a thrill show in front of the grandstand. This group of daredevil drivers are recognized as one of the outstanding groups of thrill drivers in the business. They will use both motorcycles and autos in their daring feats of smashing, crashing, racing and wrecking autos and motorcycles.

The Texas Exposition, one of the largest carnivals on the road today will exhibit on the midway of the fair each day.

Mr. and Mrs. William Knauer of Mendota and Allan Knauer of Watseka and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clinte and sons attended a family reunion of the Billig families at Lowell park Sunday.

About forty were in attendance. A picnic dinner was served at noon and the afternoon spent socially. On Saturday Mr. and Mrs. Knauer will leave on a three weeks vacation in northern Michigan. Mr. and Mrs. Owen Harrison will join them one week later.

Miss Lucille Daub of Columbus, Ohio, is a guest at the home of Miss Catherine Schwartz.

Mr. and Mrs. William Reppin and daughter Hazel spent Sunday in Steward and Rochelle.

About fifty members of the Catholic Young Peoples' club of Holy Cross church attended a picnic at Lowell park, Dixon, Sunday.

The juvenile members of the Fidelity Life Association will enjoy a swim party at Peru Wednesday afternoon.

Eugene Charles Poltsch underwent a tonsillectomy Saturday morning at Harris hospital.

Miss Bertha Burkhardt, Lostant, is a guest at the home of Miss Julia Schmidt.

The Mendota Home Bureau held a family picnic at Washington park, Peru, Sunday.

Catherine Elssesser, Wilma Welsch, Lela and Leola Miller, Gertrude Elssesser, Robert and Kenneth Elssesser, Franklin Truckenbrod and John Schmitt spent Sunday at Riverview park, Chicago.

Miss Arlen Scheldenhelm of Bigetown, N. Y., is a guest at the home of her father, John Scheldenhelm.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reichardt and son Kurt were guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Commons in Aurora.

Raymond Lipke and Dale Kratz were business callers in Chicago Friday.

Miss Lucy Ranney who has been vacationing in Mendota returned to Chicago Sunday evening where she will resume her nurses' training.

Guests at the Almond Woolley home Sunday were Mrs. Hazel Alli and Miss Bette Buck of Sterling and Mr. and Mrs. George Woolley and baby of Clinton, Ia.

Mr. and Mrs. John Earl Edwards of Oak Park are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Nielson.

Miss Shirley Scott of Aurora was a guest several days the past week at the Nielson home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Schweisner were guests several days last week at the Parker and Albert Walzer homes.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Walzer and children and Miss Madge Sloan will spend Wednesday evening at the home of Mrs. Eva Harger in Earlville where they will attend a birthday dinner in honor of Mrs. Hager.

Ezra Betts and son Gabriel, daughter Charlotte, John Betz and Miss Amanda Truckenbrod left Sunday morning on a three weeks vacation to Montana and Glacier park.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Phalen and children spent Sunday in Rochelle at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Chesley. Billie Phalen remained for a week's stay at the Chesley home.

Miss Roberta Wooley will enter nurses' training at St. Luke's hospital in Chicago on September 25th.

Cherry Valley and Mrs. Cora Eicknell of Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Pollock and Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Royer of Adel, Iowa arrived Sunday at the home of the former's mother, Mrs. Nancy Pollock and on Monday the Pollocks, Royers and little Larry Bucher went to Lake Waubesa for a week's outing.

CARDINAL SCOUT TO ATTEND ALL-STAR GAME HERE

Dixon Fans Fail to Show Interest in Their Players

The sports department of the Telegraph has been notified by L. J. Wylie, president of the Decatur club of the Three Eye league that the St. Louis Cardinals will send a scout here for the All Star game Sunday, September 1. The balloting for the players who are to appear here has started with a bang and it is surprising how the fans out in the county are backing their ball clubs. One would be lead to believe from the way the Dixon fans have not taken to this All Star game that the Dixon team hasn't had any backers this year. Ballots may be found every day on this sport page and if fans can't bring them in or send them, all they have to do is to take a few moments' time and fill them out and hand them to any Telegraph carrier and he will gladly turn them in at the sports desk.

Balloting to date:

Catchers
Gargol Maytown 7
Windmiller, Dixon 4
Full, Walton 1
Leake, Amboy 1

First Baseman
Leonard, Maytown 5
Powers, Amboy 2
Knauer, West Brooklyn 1
Johnson, Lee 1

Second Baseman
Bushman, Walton 6
Carlson, Dixon 2
Morrissy, Walton 1

Shortstop
Studinski, Maytown 5
Flanagan, Dixon 3
Houghtby, Shabbona 1

Third Baseman
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TODAY'S MARKET REPORT

Markets at a Glance

(By The Associated Press)

New York—Stocks weak; wheat score selling hits leaders. Bonds lower; numerous corporate and foreign bonds down 1 to 3. Foreign exchange steady; British pound and Swiss franc gain. Wool on easy; hedging and liquidation. Sugar weak; heavy liquidation. Metals quiet; moderate Japanese demand for export copper. Wool tops heavy; hedge selling and liquidation. Chicago—Wheat lower. Corn steady to higher. Cattle steady to 25 lower. Hogs steady to 10 lower.

Chicago Produce

Chicago, Aug. 13 (AP)—Potatoes arrivals 18 on truck 150, to total US shipments 192; supplies rather light; demand very light; for best quality Nebraska cobbles and Oregon bliss triumphs market about steady, all varieties other potatoes market slightly weaker; a few sales; Idaho bliss triumphs US No. 1, 1.70 to 1.75; Idaho russet burbancks US No. 1, 2.15 to 2.20, Oregon bliss triumphs US No. 1, 1.90, Nebraska cobbles, good quality 1.22 to 1.35, Nebraska bliss triumphs generally good quality 1.40 to 1.50; Wisconsin bliss triumphs US No. 1, 1.20.

Poultry live 37, 38; chickens steady; hens over 5 lbs 14 1/2; 15; white ducks 14, 15; eggs under 4; white eggs 14 1/2; geese, young 13; other prices unchanged. Butter, receipts 1,002,310; firm, market unchanged. Eggs, receipts 12,395; firm; fresh graded, extra firsts, local 18; 15; firsts, local 16 1/2; cars 16 1/2; current receipts 15 1/2; dirties 14 1/2; checks 13, storage packed extras 19 1/2; firsts 18.

Butter, futures, storage stds close Nov. 27, 20; Dec. 27, 30. Egg futures, refrigerated stds Oct. 18, 40; Nov. 18, 50.

Potato futures no sales today.

Chicago Grain Table

(By The Associated Press)

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT				
Sept.	73 3/4	74	72 3/4	73 3/4
Oct.	73 1/2	74	72 1/2	73 1/2
Nov.	73 1/4	74	72 1/4	73 1/4
Dec.	73 1/2	74	72 1/2	73 1/2
May	76	76 1/2	74 1/2	75 1/2
CORN				
Sept.	60 1/2	61 1/2	60 1/2	61
Oct.	56 1/2	57 1/2	55 1/2	56 1/2
Nov.	56 1/2	57 1/2	55 1/2	56 1/2
Dec.	56 1/2	57 1/2	55 1/2	56 1/2
May	57 1/2	58 1/2	55 1/2	57 1/2
OATS				
Sept.	28 1/2	29 1/2	27 1/2	28 1/2
Oct.	28 1/2	29 1/2	27 1/2	28 1/2
Nov.	28 1/2	29 1/2	27 1/2	28 1/2
Dec.	28 1/2	29 1/2	27 1/2	28 1/2
May	29 1/2	30 1/2	28 1/2	29 1/2
SOY BEANS				
Sept.	41 1/2	42 1/2	40 1/2	41 1/2
Oct.	41 1/2	42 1/2	40 1/2	41 1/2
Nov.	41 1/2	42 1/2	40 1/2	41 1/2
Dec.	41 1/2	42 1/2	40 1/2	41 1/2
May	44	45	42 1/2	44
LARD				
Sept.	4.90	4.90	4.62	4.70
Oct.				
Nov.				
Dec.				
May				

Chicago Cash Grain

(By The Associated Press)

Chicago, Aug. 13 (AP)—Cash wheat No. 1 hard 75; No. 2, 74 1/2; No. 3, 74; No. 4, 73; No. 2 mixed 74 1/2; No. 1 northern spring heavy 75.

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Homecoming Committees

The committees for the Paw Paw Homecoming have been named for that event which is annually held on Labor Day, September 2nd. The men are hard at work preparing a fine program for the day. The committees:

Grounds: Frank Ambler, Harold Shuetz, Carl Eich.

Stands: Archie Merriman, Roy Woods, George Shaddick, Arthur Shaddick, J. Collins, Frances Taber.

Program: F. E. Nangle, Byron Rosenkrans, Floyd Miller, Harley Rosenkrans.

Baseball: H. R. Town, Arthur Coss, Ray Willard.

Races: Roy Winterton, William Pfautz, Forrest Brewer, Roy Scouts.

Concessions: Harley Thomas, George Kelly.

Finance: Harold Torman.

Dance: Dr. S. R. Dickie, Roy Blee, Harrison Beemer.

Bingo: Jake Martin, Oakley Durr, Orville Englehart, Gus Walters, Gale Avery.

Advertising: Lewis Miller, Harley Rosenkrans, John Mortimer.

New Funeral Home

Harold Torman, is remodeling his residence planning to make a new up-to-date funeral home there. Working rooms and equipment will be installed in the basement and a circular drive around the house will care for all services. When the work is completed this new funeral home will be one of the most convenient and well appointed funeral homes in this section. The work has just been started and will not be completed for some time.

Woman's Club Aug. 13

The Paw Paw Woman's club will hold its meeting at the village park on this Thursday, August 15, starting promptly at 2 P. M. The date for this meeting was changed for the Earlville flower show. At this meeting further plans and discussion of the Paw Paw Flower show to be held on Aug. 22 will take place. All members are urged to be present. The subject for this meeting will be on "Indiana Welfare." All those members interested in the trip to the pottery works at Dundee and Morton's arboratum at Lisle should be present as definite plans will be made at this meeting.

4-H Achievement Day

The 4-H Achievement Day held in Amboy on Wednesday, August 7 was a big success, with girls from nine 4-H clubs in the county competing. Paw Paw girls entering the contest were successful in the project work. Miss Margaret Cooke of the local club, won first place in the Dress Revue, with 88 contestants entered. Miss Joyce Cooke and Miss Corda Rogers, took first place honors in the demonstration work. These three young ladies will go to the state fair at Springfield as representatives of the local Wy-Lee club. Marjorie Rosenkrans, Corda Rogers, and Dorothy Bittner, are eligible to send their dresses to the State Fair in the Clothing Revue. The Paw Paw Wy-Lee club should be congratulated for its very high showing in the event, and the leaders of the group deserve highest praise for the hard work in organizing this fine club.

Skating Rink

The building known as the Community House, is being put into shape by Carl and Meryl Griswold of Sandwich, for a roller rink. The floor is being sanded down and other such repairs are being made. Necessary equipment is being installed and the rink should be open the latter part of the week.

Birthday Picnic

The Goble family held a birthday picnic at the village park on Sunday in honor of Mrs. Susan Goble who will be 91 today. August 13, and Mrs. Viola Rosette. A big dinner was served and a very beautiful birthday cake decorated by Mrs. Ward Goble made the table an attractive sight. The guests of honor received many beautiful gifts from those present for the happy event. Following are those attending the occasion: Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Bastain and daughter of Hinckley; Mr. and Mrs. Truman Erlenbach and daughter and Mrs. Erlenbach of Waterman; Mrs. Annie Wixom of Earlville; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Larson and family, Ed Larson, Fred Goble and Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Larson and son, Miss Juanita Seaton, Mr. and Mrs. Ward Goble and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Rosette, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Goble and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Rosette and Miss Bertha Goble.

Breaks Arm in Fall

William Wanger, son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Wanger, fell from the porch on Sunday afternoon at the Herman Peterson home, breaking his arm between the elbow and wrist. He was taken to the Waterman hospital for treatment.

Paw Paw Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baird, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Baird and Mrs. Mabel Knickerbocker and daughter

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were Sunday visitors at the Ray Conley home in Aurora.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Terry of Maple Park called on relatives and friends here Saturday.

Mrs. G. W. Wangler and daughter of Newark, and Mrs. Harold Law and daughter of Sandwich called at the Randall Terry and Irv Terry homes Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Chris Moore is visiting this week at the home of her sister in Rockford.

Mrs. Viola Rosette spent Wednesday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Herbert Bastain of Hinckley.

Joy Goble and Shirley Foster spent the past week at the Mrs. Annie Wixom home in Earlville.

Miss Mildred Shreck, Miss Frances Urish and Mrs. Ivan Urish were LaSalle shoppers Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Merriman of Chicago visited at the Charles Merriman home several days last week.

Mrs. J. C. Goble and children, visited at the Mrs. Ada Truckenbrod home in Mendota Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Foster and family and L. A. Foster and Mrs. Annie Wixom were in Chicago on Wednesday.

Miss Hazel Hunt, Miss Frances Urish, Wilbur Garman and Everett Lambs attending the auto races at Amboy Sunday.

Don Terry, Wayne and William Wangler were Mendota visitors on Saturday afternoon.

Miss Helen Roberts of Chicago and Dave Roberts of Polo spent the last week at the home of their mother, Mrs. Blanche Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Poulson and children and Mrs. McGrath of Elmwood were Sunday callers at the Mrs. Nellie Adrian home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Clemmons were in Compton on Sunday and called at the Ernest Clemmons home.

William Englehart, Jr. left on Monday for Denver, Colo., with his grandmother, Mrs. Hilda Shaffer of DeKalb.

Dick Meade, Leon Hutchinson and James Yenerich were Saturday dinner guests at the Fred Meade in Amboy. They were also in DeKalb and Rochelle on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Humphrey of Peoria spent a few days last week at the Ivan Urish home.

Mr. and Mrs. Byron Rosenkrans were Compton visitors on Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Goble and family were DeKalb visitor Saturday.

Gene Martin of DeKalb was a week end visitor at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Martin.

Mary Ann Gaines, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Gaines, is on the sick list.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Priesskorn attended a family dinner at the Albert Dienst home at Somonauk Sunday.

Miss Cynthia Simpson and Donald Simpson, of Troy Grove are visiting this week at the Carlton Jones home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Englehart were Compton visitors on Sunday afternoon.

Miss Edith Urish of DeKalb Teacher's College spent the week end at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Urish.

Miss Estelle Brewer is spending three weeks with relatives in Rochelle.

Mr. and Mrs. William Groves returned on Wednesday evening from their honeymoon in Milwaukee.

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Schoaf were also Sunday dinner guests of Mrs. Ross.

Mr. and Mrs. Olan Melton and sons and Mrs. Rosa Minier spent Thursday at New Salem village and then drove on to the home of Mr. Melton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Melton of Zenia, Ill., and spent the week-end. The son, George Elmer, remained with his grandparents to visit until school starts.

Birthday Dinner

The brothers and sisters of Mrs. Emma Fordham surprised her on Sunday on her 73rd birthday. A delicious scramble dinner was served at 1 o'clock. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kwait of Zealring, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Grover Epperson and Mr. and Mrs. George Epperson.

FORRESTON

Mrs. Fred Deuth
Reporter

Forreston's Farm Evening school is at the head of the list in the entire state of Illinois for attendance, the average attendance at the 1939 sessions being 70 adult farmers. The past session held in January, February and March was attended by an average of 83 men. Bement, Illinois, ranked second with an average of 60 in attendance. There are 373 agricultural departments in the state with only 99 conducting evening schools.

The Women's Relief Corps will meet Wednesday afternoon with Mrs. Sarah Haller.

At a recent meeting of Mrs. John Markman's Sunday school class, the following officers were elected: president, Patsy Reed; secretary, Louis Smith; treasurer, Delores Reinders. The class decided to name their organization "The Loyal Helpers."

Miss Meltha Hiteman is visiting friends in Chicago, Milwaukee and Prairie du Chien, Wis.

Leland Potter of St. Morris and Robert Lang attended the White Sox-Detroit game in Chicago Sunday.

Jimmy, elder son of Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Swift was taken to the St. Francis hospital for treatment.

A picnic dinner was held at the Fred Deuth home Sunday with seventeen in attendance. The day marked the tenth anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gardner of Dixon. The John Deuths, M. H. Eakle, William Hiteman, Jr., Forrest Deuths of Freeport and G. S. Powers of Mt. Morris were present. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Deuth of Polo and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Deuth, Jr., of Oregon.

Frances Gene Lang, Gerald Deitsman and Betty Garman presented two trumpet trios on a program at Oakdale Sunday. Their accompanist was Miss Millicent Stukenberg.

Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Nolting and son of Chicago were week end guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Acker.

Mrs. Martha Meyers and son Curtis of Oregon spent Sunday with Miss Martha Meyers.

Donald Buttel and Milford Alberts arrived home Saturday evening from their trip to Colorado, sponsored by the Y. M. C. A. of Freeport.

Red Oak

Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Guithier were Mrs. Anna Albrecht of Ohio, Mrs. Caroline Guithier and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Burke and daughter Dorothy Mae.

Mrs. Christine Ackerson and son Everett of Ohio were Sunday afternoon callers of Miss Carrie Hammer.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Guithier and son Harold were Mendota and Princeton business callers on Saturday.

Rev. and Mrs. E. M. Deaneer are attending the camp meetings at Oakdale this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Guithier and daughter and Mrs. Dan Hoffman and daughter attended the Sunday evening services of Evangelical church of Perkins Grove.

Miss Evangeline Albrecht and Miss Ellen Guithier are attending a two-week course at Dunlap school at Springfield, Ill. The Bureau County Household Science club is sending Miss Guithier.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Albrecht and son Dean, Laura and Amanda Hoffman attended the Sunday services of camp meeting at Oakdale.

Mr. and Mrs. George Guithier left Monday for a few days' business trip to Naperville.

Children left Tuesday morning on a two weeks' trip through Iowa, Kansas and to Yellowstone National park.

The Ioder reunion was held on Sunday at Farm Bureau recreation hall at Princeton. A delicious picnic dinner was served to about fifty at noon. Election of officers was held. President, Rollo Guithier of Naperville; vice president, Cecil Heaton and secretary, Ellen Guithier. Those from Walnut to attend were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Guithier and family, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Guithier and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Burke and family, Ed Baumgartner, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ioder and family and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Ioder and son.

PROCEEDINGS OF
LEE CO. BOARD
OF SUPERVISORS

State of Illinois, County of Lee, ss.

On Tuesday, the 6th day of August, A. D. 1940, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, the Board of Supervisors of Lee County met at the Court House in the City of Dixon in monthly meeting.

Present, Chairman Risetter and Supervisors Buckingham, Wagner, Vaupel, Archer, Elmer J. Miller, Spencer, Garrison, Wilson, Ruggles, Leon W. Miller, Buckaloo, Anderson, Mau, Kranov, Willis, Lally, Becker, Wolf, Emmitt, Mehlhausen, Cortright, Kuebel, Montavon and Case.

On motion of Supervisor Mehlhausen, seconded by Supervisor Wagner that all bills and communications on file be referred to the proper committees.

A request from Sterling D. Schrock, County Clerk was read to the Board by the Clerk, and upon motion of Supervisor Cortright, seconded by Supervisor Buckingham that the request be referred to the Purchasing Committee with power to act. The request being as follows:

Dixon, Illinois, August 3, 1940.

REQUEST FROM COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE

To the Honorable Board of Supervisors:

We respectfully submit the following list of records that are needed for this office:

Record of Mother's Pensions No. 3. (Bound, printed, canvas covered with index).

Record of Dependents No. 1. (Bound, printed, canvas covered with index).

County Court Record No. 57. (Loose leaf, plain, canvas covered with index).

County Court Journal No. 78. (Loose leaf, printed heading, canvas covered with index).

County Court Record Criminal & Law No. 10. (Loose leaf, plain, canvas covered with index).

Estate Fee Book No. 9. (Bound, printed, canvas covered with index).

Supervisors Record Letter T. (Loose leaf, heading printed, canvas covered with index).

Respectfully submitted, STERLING D. SCHROCK, County Clerk.

On Motion of Supervisor Buckingham, seconded by Supervisor Anderson that the Board adjourn until this afternoon at 2:00 o'clock P. M. Carried.

At the hour of two o'clock in the afternoon, the Board of Supervisors re-convened. Present same as at the morning session, including Supervisor L. D. Hemenway.

The County Home Committee present their report recommending the allowance of the following claims, and on motion of Supervisor Archer, seconded by Supervisor Buckingham the claims are allowed as read and the Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

City Meat Market, July meat acct. \$24.30

Eichler Brothers mds. 3.56

Wm. T. Branigan, bailing straw at Co. Farm 23.00

A. C. Moeller, hog and poultry concentrate 15.75

National Biscuit Co., mds. feed and grinding 8.13

Eldena Co-Operative Co., feed and grinding 32.68

Dr. J. B. Werren, medical attention, inmates 30.50

Bert Frazz & Son, repairs to motor 4.50

Dixon Grocery & Market, groceries 24.04

Beier Bakery, July bread account 19.56

Villagers Drug Store, drugs and medicines 10.90

The Dixon Floral Co., 3 flats of plants 4.00

Henry F. Shippert, threshing acct. 23.95

Boytown - Richards Co., clothing 8.24

C. J. Dawson Agt., tobacco for inmates 9.20

Glessner Hardware & Lbr., Co., supplies 142.10

Willis M. Fry, sup. & mator hire & exp. acct. 291.90

Patrick Fane, labor and repair, amount \$1287.00, allowed 1170.00

The Printing Committee present their report recommending the allowance of the following claims, and on motion of Supervisor Becker, seconded by Supervisor Mehlhausen, the report is approved as read and the Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

O. R. Evans & Co., new city directories for Co. offices 42.00

Callaghan & Co., annotated statutes, state's attorney's office 8.24

Geo. D. Barnard Stationery Co., supplies, Co. Clerk office 9.25

Harry H. Hulsart, printing, Co. Coroner 13.25

B. F. Shaw Printing Co., pub. personal property assessment 663.30

B. F. Shaw Printing Co., printing, Co. Clerk's off. 15.00

B. F. Shaw Printing Co., pub. proceedings Board of super. July meeting 45.50

Muzzey & Whitebread, law books, State's Atty. off. 103.00

Illinois Office Supply Co., probate forms, County Clerk's office 31.16

Illinois Office Supply Co., J. P. Dockets, Co. Clerk's office 24.88

Byers Printing Co., supplies Circuit Clerk's off. 45.10

Illinois Office Supply Co.,

Supplies, Co. Clerk's off. 15.60

Illinois Office Supply Co., Fox bounty warrants, Co. Clerk's office 17.64

The Soldiers & Sailors Committee present their report recommending the allowance of the following claims, and on motion of Supervisor Wolf, seconded by Supervisor Wagner, the report is approved as read and Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

Curran's Naberhood Grocery, groceries 8.00

A & P Tea Co., groceries 16.00

The Market Basket Grocery, groceries 24.00

John Keller Grocery, groceries 20.00

Dr. Robert T. LeSage, medical service 14.00

Wilfred Brechon, room rent Ed Brangan, coal 5.50

Wm. E. Clark Grocery, groceries 20.00

I. N. U. Company - Electric service 1.70

Lee Center Cash Grocery, groceries 28.00

Wayne Archer, groceries 8.00

Conlon Grocery, groceries 9.89

The Claims Committee present their report recommending the allowance of the following claims, and on motion of Supervisor Vaupel, seconded by Supervisor Willis, the report is approved as read and Clerk is directed to issue orders for the various amounts as follows:

J. E. Mau, Comm. serv. 6.60

Seth Anderson, same 7.00

Milton G. Vaupel, same 7.00

Harold H. Wolf, same 23.20

Justin Becker, same 24.00

Leon A. Garrison, same 5.80

John S. Archer, same 27.20

Angier W. Wilson, same 5.10

Albert Willis, same 18.90

Pat V. Lally, same 18.00

Fred Mehlhausen, same 7.10

Cromwell's Electric Shop, fan, board of review 6.13

L. C. Smith & Corona Typw. Inc., typewriter, county judge's office 62.89

Edward Book Store, supplies Co. Clerk's off. 1.86

Panama Carbon Co., supp. Co. Judge 17.98

Dr. J. M. Severson, serv. dep. child 25.00

Dr. W. A. McNichols, serv. dep. child 25.00

Dixon Home Telephone Co., office phone, County Highway Office 4.25

Grover W. Gehant, office expense 2.00

SINGING STAR

ANSWER TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

HORIZONTAL

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Thimble Theater, Starring POPEYE

I SAID, HOW IS MISS OLIVE OYL, THE LITTLE LADY YOU LEFT BEHIND?

YOU DID NOT TELL ME THERE WAS SOMEBODY ELSE

AHOY, QUEENY, LOOK! THEY'S A BIG, BLACK SPIDER BEHIN' YA

HEAVENS!

WHERE?

I DON'T SEE IT

WHAT HAPPENED TO MY PRIME MINISTER?

HE MUS BE ALLAGERICAL

ALLERGIC TO WHAT?

SPIDERS! I GUESS HE FAINTED WHEN HE SAW THAT SPIDER

HM! THE COWARD

IF YOU'RE NICE, I MAY MAKE YOU MY PRIME MINISTER

BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES

SAY, GERGEANT, THAT LITTLE FRACAS WE RAN INTO T'OTHER NIGHT, HOW'S ABOUT JES' KEEPIN' THAT UNDER YER HAT, HUH?

WHAT'VE YOU BEEN GOIN' OUT TO THAT OL' BARN FOR?

IT AIN'T AS IF THERE WASN'T ANY MORE ROOM UNDER THAT HAT OF YOURIN'...

WHAT'D THAT GUY WANT WHEN HE PULLED TH' STICK-UP?

HOW COME YOU GOT TH' MOTOR OF YOUR PLANE LOCKED UP?

SHHH! HERE COMES BOOTS! REMEMBER, NOW!

WILLIE, I'M WORRIED SICK ABOUT YOU KNOW! PLEASE BE CAREFUL! YOU SIMPLY CAN'T TAKE ANY RISKS...

RISKS? WHY, I DUNNO WHAT YOU'RE TALKIN' ABOUT!

LIL ABNER

(PSST! AH! SHORE THET HAND IN HIS POCKET GOT ONLY 3 FINGERS! -THET'LL PROVE HE'S TH' MAN WHICH AIMS T' GULP! KILL ME AFORE AH GITS T' TH' GUY NOR!! WE'LL LOOK WHILE HE'S LIN-CONSHUS!!)

IS THERE ANYTHING IN MY POCKET YOU WANT, YOKUM?

GULP!!

NO -- N-N-NO!! -ER -- HOW IS YO' F-FEELIN'?

YOUR CAR IS WRECKED! FORTUNATELY I AM GOING VERY NEAR TO THE GOVERNOR'S MANSION. I'LL BE GLAD TO TAKE YOKUM THERE. WHERE CAN I DROP YOU?

I WILL GO ALL THE WAY! -I PROMISED MY FRIEND-YOKUM, I'D GET HIM TO THE GOVERNOR'S MANSION - AND SO I WILL GO ALL THE WAY WITH HIM - UNTIL - THE -- END --

UNTIL THE (-GULP-) END?

ABBY and SLATS

NO!! I DON'T WANT TO GO TO YOUR PICNIC. THOSE THINGS ARE FOR CHILDREN!! PLEASE GO AWAY!!!

I'M NEW AT THIS JOB OF ASSISTANT PRINCIPAL... AND YOU'RE NEW AT THE JOB OF BEING MY SECRETARY. WE'LL JUST HAVE TO LEARN TO GETHER

I'M SURE WE'LL GET ALONG SPLENDIDLY, MR. CARTER

I'M SURE THEY WILL GET ALONG--SPLENDIDLY, OF COURSE-- HE'S MIDDLE AGED-- ABOUT 29, I'D SAY-- BUT HE IS GOOD LOOKING

HMM-- POOR SLATS, I MUSTN'T LET HER GET AWAY WITH TWO-TIMING HIM!

FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

THAT'S A FINE TRICK! WE CAME ALL THIS WAY JUST TO BE STOOGES FOR A COUPLE OF RED BRICKS!

DON'T GET SORE AT ME -- IT AIN'T MY FAULT!

NEARLY EVERY VISITOR TO PETERSBURG HAS BEEN TOOK IN BY THAT GAG! WE FOOL HUNDREDS EVERY YEAR!

RED BATS! PHOOEY! JUST PLAIN BRICK BATS!

JUST BE GOOD SPORTS ABOUT IT AND DON'T TELL ANYONE WHAT THE RED BATS REALLY ARE!

OH, WE CAN TAKE IT ALL RIGHT!

BUT IF THAT GUY KRITTS SHOULD HAPPEN ALONG RIGHT ABOUT NOW, THERE ARE TWO "BATS" THAT WOULD LEAVE THEIR NEST AND LEARN TO FLY!

WASH TUBBS

SO, THAT'S HELGA WOLFE! YOU DID A SWELL JOB, EASY. HER CAPTURE IS THE ONE BRIGHT SPOT IN THE LAST 24 HOURS

WHAT DO YOU MEAN?

WE WERE PREPARING TO GRAB THE OTHER SECRET AGENTS WHEN THEY DISAPPEARED. THE RESTAURANT'S ABANDONED... EVERYTHING'S GONE. THE ONE PERSON WE CAPTURED REFUSES TO TALK

NEITHER WILL HELGA

THAT'S JUST IT. WE HAVE THE MASTERMIND, BUT THE ORGANIZATION CONTINUES TO FLOURISH. THERE'LL BE OTHER MASTERMINDS AND ON AND ON IT WILL GO

MAYBE THIS WILL HELP FIND 'EM, WILSON. IT'S A LITTLE BLACK BOOK THAT HELGA HAD AFTER THE CRASH... IT'S FULL O' NAMES AND ADDRESSES AND ALL SORTS OF HIEROGLYPHS

BY GEORGE, EASY! YOU SOLVE EVERYTHING!

ALLEY OOP

I SAY THERE, MY GOOD MAN... WHAT ARE Y' DOING TO ONE OF OUR SACRED CROCODILES?

THIS CRITTER SWALLOWED MY HELMET AN' I WANT IT BACK!

BUT YOU CAN'T DO ANYTHING ABOUT THAT NOW!

ONCE A THING IS INSIDE A SACRED CROCODILE, IT IS FOREVER LOST TO MANKIND!

OH, YEH? WELL, YOU GUYS KEEP YER PEEPERS OPEN AN' I'LL SHOW YOU...

A FEW THINGS YOU DON'T KNOW ABOUT CROCODILES!

GLANCES

By Galbraith



"Let's see that one you're hiding in the middle of the pile—who are you saving that for?"

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



CONTRARY TO POPULAR BELIEF... CROCODILES DO HAVE TONGUES! THE ORGAN IS FLESHY AND FLAT, AND ATTACHED TO THE FLOOR OF THE MOUTH EXCEPT AT THE EXTREME EDGES.

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ASK ME ANOTHER
Ques. Do you think there is a real tie between father and of the time the son is wearing it.
Ques. Do you think it is a good thing to have office furniture insured against theft? Ans. Yes, everything except the clock. The employees watch that constantly.
The thing that has put us ahead in the used car business is that we never sell one to a customer that we wouldn't have him sell us if our positions were reversed.
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6:30 Rhythm Off the Record — WBBM
Ray Noble's Orch.—WGN
Musical Treasure Chest — WMAQ
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7:00 We the People—WBBM
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Concert Miniature—WENR
8:00 Tommy Dorsey's Orch. — WMAQ
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8:30 Uncle Walter's Doghouse — WMAQ
Nonethers—WGN
Monsieur Le Capitaine — WENR

8:45 Four Chubmen—WBBM
9:00 Bill McCune's Orch. — WGN
Amos 'n' Andy—WBBM
Pleasure Time—WMAQ
Ten O'Clock Final—WENR

9:15 Dance Orch.—WBBM
Little Concert—WIBA
9:30 Griff Williams' Orch. — WGN
Gray Gordon's Orch. — WMAQ
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Ray Herbeck's Orch. — WBBM

Music You Want—WENR
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WEDNESDAY

Afternoon

12:00 Young Dr. Malone—WBBM
Light of the World — WMAQ
Is Anybody Home?—WGN
12:15 Girl Interme—WBBM
Arnold Grimm's Daughter—WMAQ
Johnny Duffy's Music—WGN

Eddie and Fannie—WCFB
12:30 Valiant Lady—WMAQ
Ginsburgh's Orch.—WGN
Cooking Talk—WMAQ
Cheer Up Gang—WGN
My Son and I—WBBM
Spotlight Program—WCFB

1:00 Story of Mary Marlin — WMAQ
Marriage License Romance — WGN
Society Girl—WBBM
Orphans of Divorce—WLS
Treasure Chest—WMT
Ma Perkins—WMAQ
Amanda of Honeymoon Hill — WLS

1:30 Popper Young's Family — WMAQ
John's Other Wife—WLS
1:45 A Friend Indeed—WOC
Just Plain Bill—WLS
Vic and Sade—WMAQ
2:00 Songs of a Dreamer — WBBM

Baseball, Cubs vs Cincinnati — WCFB, WJJD, WGN,
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Backstage Wife—WMAQ
2:15 Stella Dallas—WMAQ
Club Matinee—WENR
Melody Matinee—WOC

2:30 Lorenzo Jones—WMAQ
Painted Dreams—WLV
2:45 Young Widder Brown — WMAQ
Ray Bloch—WOC
3:00 Girl Alone—WMAQ
Houseboat Hannah—WLW
Kathlene Norris—WCO
3:15 Life Can Be Beautiful — WLW
Kitty Keene—WMAQ

3:30 Midstream—WHO
Musical Memories—WMAQ
3:45 The O'Neills—WMAQ
Scattergood Baines — WCO
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Chicagoans—WBBM
Houseboat Hannah — WMAQ
Hugo Monaca's Orch. — WGN
Rocky Gordon—WENR
4:15 Uncle Mal—WENR
Gus Steck's Orch.—WIBA
Hedda Hopper's Hollywood — WBBM

4:30 Five Men of Fate—WGN
Li'l Abner—WMAQ

Cross Charges "Little New Deal" Kept Needed Aid From State's Aged

Centralia, Ill., Aug. 13.—(AP)—

Hugh W. Cross, Republican nominee for lieutenant governor, charged in a campaign address here last night that "the present little new deal administration at Springfield is responsible for depriving the needy aged of our state from having an increased old age pension."

Cross asserted that the pension bill calling for increased pensions that was passed at the special session of the legislature and signed by Governor Horner was the same bill that the Republican-controlled house passed in 1939, but which was vetoed by the governor.

"What happened?" he asked. "Nothing except for one year those persons entitled to an increased pension were deprived of it, all due to the carelessness of the little new deal at Springfield."

Atmosphere in Capital That of War: Barrett

Chicago, Aug. 13.—(AP)—

The need for an adequate national defense, says George F. Barrett, provides no license for "incessant meddling in foreign wars."

The Republican candidate for Attorney General of Illinois, speaking over a network of state radio stations, declared last night that "the whole atmosphere of Washington is the atmosphere of war."

Barrett said the national defense could be handled "sanely" by Wendell L. Willkie, the G. O. P. presidential nominee, and predicted that in event of Willkie's election \$50,000,000,000 "now frozen in the banks of America because of fear of further new deal experimentation will come out of hiding and much of that money will be spent for wages."

4:45 The World Today—WBBM
Lowell Thomas—WLW
Jack Kelly's Orch.—WCFB
5:00 Easy Aces—WENR
Pleasure Time—WMAQ

5:15 Mr. Keen, Tracer of Lost Persons—WENR
John B. Kennedy—WMAQ
Todd Hunter—WBBM
5:30 Musicals—WMAQ
Adventures of Mr. Meek — WBBM
Don Winslow of the Navy — WLW

5:45 Kaitenborn—WMAQ
Evening
6:00 Uncle Jim's Question Bee—WBBM
Hollywood Playhouse — WMAQ
Ray Noble's Orch.—WGN
This, Our America—WLS
Baseball—WIND

6:30 Manhattan at Midnight—WBBM
Lone Ranger—WGN
Plantation Party—WMAQ
Dr. Christian—WBBM
Grant Park Concert — WCFB
Summer Show—WBBM

7:30 Roy Shields' Encore Music — WENR
Herbie Kay's Orch.—WGN
District Attorney—WMAQ
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Abe Lyman's Arch.—WENR
Ezzie Nelson's Orch.—WBBM
Raymond Scott's Orch. — WMAQ
Cab Calloway's Orch. — WIBA
Ray Herbeck's Orch. — WBBM
11:00 Chuck Foster's Orchestra — WBBM
Ray Pearl's Orchestra — WGN
Jerry Holden's Orchestra — WMAQ
Nite Watch—WIND

War Department Considers Taxes, Rent, Insurance

Washington, Aug. 13.—(AP)—

To help the man called into low-pay military service who still would have to meet such family obligations as rent, insurance and taxes, the war department has asked Congress for legislation requiring the courts to act as umpires in settlement.

The request would cover National Guardsmen and reservists whom the President might call to active duty under pending legislation, as well as men with dependents who might be conscripted under the Burke-Wadsworth bill.

As a last resort, the legislation would impose on the courts the task of determining the manner and time of settlement of rent, insurance and tax payments which the service man could not meet while on active duty.

War department officials explained that the scheme would work like this:

1. Rent—After the first default in rent, the creditor could ask the court for a judgment, but the court could not approve an eviction before three months. The court could compel the man's wife and the house owner to agree on a scheme of payment of rent arrears.

2.

Green Nationally Important, Says "The Pathfinder"

Declaring Dwight H. Green, Republican candidate for governor of Illinois, is "nationally important," The Pathfinder, a news review of world affairs, published in Washington, D. C., says in the current issue:

In the hurly-burly of the 1940 presidential campaign, one of the big points worth stressing is that Dwight Herbert Green is a man of prime political importance in America. Indeed, in some respects, as far as Republicans are concerned, he is as significant a source of hope as Wendell Lewis Willkie.

For the fact is that when one speculates over Wendell Willkie and the November election, one must speculate also over Dwight Green and Illinois. And the reason for this is that all signs point to a hair's breadth presidential race—the kind of race in which a single state might easily mean the difference between victory and defeat, especially a single state so politically strategic as Dwight Green's.

Who is Dwight Green? In Illinois no one needs to be told, but the public at large has in all likelihood forgotten that he is the very same man who not many years ago smashed up the filthy world of Al Capone. Nor can the public at large be expected to know that he is now the Republican candidate for the governorship of Illinois—the spearhead of his party's drive to overcome the entrenched forces of the Democratic Kelly-Nash machine in Chicago.

Although his home has been in Chicago since the First World War, Green, whose showing next November will probably have a telling effect on the national election, is a Hoosier by birth—like Willkie. And he is like Willkie in other respects also, having none of the earmarks of a politician and having the solid, wholesome background of an American who has paved his own way to success and high civic recognition.

Forty-three years old, Dwight Green was born on January, 9, 1897, at the little Ligonier in Indiana, where his grandparents had settled in 1862, a few years after they had left Germany. As a boy, Dwight was a typical rural youngster, performing typical rural chores—odd farm jobs, running a newspaper delivery route and clerking at the town drugstore. After high school, where he made the football team, his parents (Harry and Minnie Gerber Green) gave him their blessing and sent him off to Wabash College at Crawfordsville, Ind., where he helped pay his tuition with money he had saved.

In 1917, after two years at Wabash, young Green enlisted in the Army and was sent to learn aviation at the University of Illinois. Becoming a Second Lieutenant in the Air Service, he was transferred to Mather Field at Sacramento, Calif., where he was one of the Army's flying instructors from July, 1918, to the following January. After that, the war over, he stayed in California for a spell to study history, mathematics and political science at Stanford University. His next move was to go to the University of Chicago, where he received his Bachelor of Philosophy degree in 1920 and his Doctorate of Jurisprudence two years later. At Chicago, incidentally, he paid his own way by working as campus correspondent for one of the city's newspapers.

In 1926, four years after winning his law degree, Dwight went to Washington, D. C., having been appointed a special attorney in the Bureau of Internal Revenue. A few months later, he married Mable Victoria Kingston, a res-

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dent of the capital and one of its most beautiful women—a happy union, since made even happier by the arrival of daughters Nancy and Gloria.

Not long after his marriage, Dwight Green was transferred to Chicago, going there in 1927 as special representative of the general counsel of the Internal Revenue Bureau. This was the beginning of his impressive career as a racket-buster—a career in which he brought Federal justice to bear with crushing effectiveness against what was perhaps the world's worst dynasty of crime, the kingdom of Al Capone. In the course of his historic prosecutions, Green acted first as special assistant to the United States Attorney for the Northern District of Illinois, in charge of income tax matters, and then as U. S. Attorney for the District (from 1932 to 1935). By the time he returned to private law practice in 1935, he had made an enviable name for himself by driving Capone behind Federal prison bars for a term of 10 years and by putting the heat on such other criminal scum as "Baby Face" Nelson. Similarly, he got after the notorious Samuel Insull, and demonstrated time and again to a crime-sick public that law still ruled the land.

Back in private law practice Green continued to maintain a quiet but keen interest in public affairs, but he kept himself out of politics until 1939, when a group of Republicans prevailed upon him to fight the all-powerful machine of Mayor Edward J. Kelly and Patrick Nash, National Democratic Committeeman for Illinois. For anybody but Dwight Green, such an effort would have been as futile as tilting a lance at a windmill, for in Chicago all movements for political reform begin with two strikes against them. This is so for the reason that in 16 key wards of the city, Republican leaders work hand-in-glove with the Democratic steamroller of Kelly and Nash.

However, Chicago's ward-healing skulduggery did not discourage Green. Backed by the Republican party and the Better Government Association, he campaigned for the mayorship against Ed Kelly—a hard-hitting campaign waged against great odds. The election was in April of last year, and the returns were amazing—even though Kelly won. They were amazing because they showed that Green had polled 638,000 votes—the largest number of Republican votes any state or local candidate had ever obtained in the history of boss-ridden Chicago. Kelly squeezed through to victory by the narrowest of margins, but it is still charged that he won only as a result of deliberate ballot frauds.

Be that as it may, fraudulent or not, Chicago's 1939 mayoralty race proved one thing to the satisfaction of Dwight Green and other sponsors of good government. It proved that the mighty Kelly-Nash machine could be beaten with just a little more effort on the part of an aroused electorate. Accordingly, because the machine has exercised state-wide influence in the past and because it now appears to have an Achilles heel, the Republican party in Illinois is anticipating a victory in November.

Named in the primary of last April, Dwight Green is the party's white hope for the governorship, and Dwight Green himself is confident that he will win. Says he:

"I have had some firsthand experience with this machine. It literally and absolutely stole the 1939 mayoralty victory from the people of Chicago. Illinois is aroused. We intend to see to it that this corrupt and wasteful Democratic organization will not win in November, however tightly it holds on to the Roosevelt coattails. Louisiana crushed the Huey Long machine. New York smashed Tammany. Kansas City overthrew Pendergast. Pennsylvania got rid of its Democratic steamroller. And now we in Illinois will ring down the curtain on Kelly and Nash."

Although the Kelly-Nash machine is probably the most formidable in America, Illinois Republicans are not day-dreaming or mouthing mere political chatter when they expect to defeat it in November. They have reason to place great confidence in Dwight Green, for their gubernatorial candidate is young, vigorous and highly appealing to the public. A man of exceptional competence, he symbolizes the refreshing change that has taken place in the G. O. P. nationally. Not in any sense a run-of-the-mill politician, he might well be called the Wendell Willkie of Illinois—able, unbossed, clear-headed and plain-speaking, a man well versed in the processes of both business and government.

It is worth stressing the fact

that Dwight Green at this hour is a nationally important personality. He is nationally important, not only because he is a kind of crusader against a giant political machine and its vices, but also because his state may turn out to be a decisive factor in the Presidential election. In other words, as the third most populous state in the Union, Illinois has the third largest number of electoral votes—enough, if won, to turn the voting tide and place Wendell Willkie in the White House.

The point is that if Dwight Green is able to carry Illinois for the Republicans, if he is elected governor, he will deliver a smashing blow to the new deal drive for a third term. Ever since that drive began, Mayor Kelly has been one of its prime movers, and its ultimate success in November will depend largely on how well the Democratic machine functions in Chicago. Accordingly, if the Willkie-Roosevelt race remains as close as present signs promise, the results in Illinois will have enormous significance.

Well aware of all this, political leaders will keep an anxious eye on the course of Green's campaign between now and the first Tuesday after the first Monday of next November. Needless to say, the Kelly-Nash organization will redouble its efforts, inasmuch as Green gave it a real, spine-chilling scare when he came so close to winning the Chicago mayoralty contest last April. As for Green himself, he voices confidence that this time victory will be his, for he feels that the electorate of Illinois is aroused at last to the menace implicit in the machine now dominating the state.

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held Sunday at Lowell park with eighty-nine relatives present. Relatives from Freeport, Sterling, Milledgeville, Haldane, Franklin Grove, Waukegan, Clinton and Polo attended. Those from a distance were: Mr. and Mrs. Milton Good, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Good and son Billy of Brookfield, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Valentine, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Valentine and son Dean of Aurora; Mr. and Mrs. Lester Poper and son of Clinton, Miss Evelyn Kendall and Ralph Wallace of Waukegan.

Officers elected were: Harvey Good, president; Mrs. Gertie Zick, vice president and Mrs. Iva Garman, secretary-treasurer. The reunion will be held next year, the second Sunday in August, at Lowell park.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bloyer and Mrs. Fred French and Miss Julia Bracken returned home Friday from a motor trip to Portland, Oregon.

Mrs. Paul Sweet was honored at a picnic Thursday evening at the Pines. The occasion was her birthday. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Robert Johnson and son Geary, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson, Miss Evelyn Kness and Kenneth Burke, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Sweet.

Gilbert Reunion
The annual Gilbert family reunion will be held Sunday, Aug. 18th, at Lowell park. Picnic dinner at noon.

Mrs. Orville Sweet will be hostess Friday evening of this week to members of the W. R. C. Sewing circle at her home on Mason street.

Miss Evelyn Kendall and Ralph Wallace of Waukegan spent the week end at the Sam Good and Robert Baumgarten homes.

LaMarr Doris Powell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Powell submitted to a tonsilectomy at the Katherine Shaw Betha hospital at Dixon Saturday morning.

Final Bank Dividend
The eleventh and final dividend checks totaling \$30,344.01 were available to depositors of the Polo State bank, it was announced by Edward J. Barrett, state auditor.

The total paid since the bank closed is 83 and three-fourths per cent. In addition \$109,991.50 has been paid in bills payable and \$17,199.64 to preferred creditors.

Eight and one-half per cent of this dividend represents funds acquired through liquidation and one-fourth of one per cent represents funds from the receiver of the stockholders' liability suit.

RAILROADS SHOW LOSS
Chicago, Aug. 13.—(AP)—The Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul & Pacific railroad today reported a net loss for the month of June of \$1,927,336 as compared with \$2,315,077 for June, 1939.

Net loss for the six months ended June 30 was \$8,296,588 as compared with \$11,298,024 for the corresponding 1939 period.

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Miss Anna Bach of Freeport spent the week-end visiting her father, Jacob Bach and family. Charles Keller, a cousin of the Bachs, drove to Amboy Friday evening and returned home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. James Lynch and daughter Julianna of Dixon spent Sunday evening visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McGrath and attending the ice cream social at St. Anne's parish grounds. Tom McGrath of Chicago who has been visiting in Dixon came for a short visit at the home of his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McGrath.

Louis Frederick and Miss Mary Keho spent Friday in Mendota on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Elliott, Miss Crone of Chicago and Mrs. Mae Lyman and Miss Esther once Lyman of St. Petersburg, Fla. were entertained at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lauer and family on Saturday.

Mrs. Tom De Corsey of Rochelle came Thursday evening to spend several days visiting her mother, Mrs. Claude Reed. On Saturday evening Mr. De Corsey came to spend the week-end here. They returned home Sunday evening.

Miss Mitzie Miller of Dixon returned to her home on Sunday after spending the past week here visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. William Herzog.

Mr. and Mrs. James Thompson are the parents of a baby boy born Monday, Aug. 12 at the hospital. Mrs. Thompson was formerly Miss Genevieve Cotter.

Phillip Hammond spent Monday in Sterling on business.

Miss Beth Phelps of Sterling who has been visiting her cousin at the Leo Lauer home for the past week returned to her home Saturday evening.

Adolph Bach left Saturday for the National Guard camp in Wisconsin. The training period will be for three weeks.

Miss Betty Full of Peoria spent a short time in Amboy on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Phelps and son Jimmy of Dixon spent Sunday evening visiting Mr. and Mrs. Leo Lauer.

Mrs. Rose Dempsey is still very ill at her home. Mrs. Anna Leffelmann is helping care for her.

Donald Full spent Monday in Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. David Jones of Oregon spent the week-end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jones.

The children of the seventh and eighth grades of St. Ann's school are planning a picnic to be held next Thursday at Starved Rock state park.

Mrs. Joseph McGrath spent Monday in Dixon shopping.

Mr. and Mrs. John Murray of

OHIO NEWS

By Esther Jackson

Miss Harry Gorman, Mrs. Howard McDonald, Mrs. Jack Foley and Mrs. Raymond Gorman spent several days last week with Mrs. Frank Gehlin in Chicago.

Miss Beatrice Boyd was hostess Tuesday evening to the Ho-Lo Bridge club. Mrs. Grace Gorman won high prize; Miss Phyllis Anderson eighty honors and Mrs. Pearl Gorman low.

Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Albrecht and son Dick and Mrs. May Gugerty, accompanied by Mrs. Elizabeth Keane of Dixon left yesterday for a visit with relatives in Webster City, Iowa.

P. J. Spohn and son Louis, F. J. Burke and Leo Knuth attended the ball game in Chicago Tuesday.

Miss Earlene Walton of Webster, South Dakota, who had been visiting her aunts, Mrs. A. S. Poole and Mrs. Dewey Johnson, left Thursday for Chicago.

Mrs. Fergus Anderson, her mother, Mrs. I. M. White of Walnut and the Misses Henrietta Meyers and Verna Erickson spent Wednesday in Peoria.

Mrs. Charlotte Hansen of Chicago spent last week with her mother, Mrs. Ann Sheehan.

Mrs. Ann Blaine was hostess to the Wide-awake Bridge club Monday afternoon. Mrs. Gusta Ogan was winner of high prize; Mrs. Letha Blaine, a guest, won second, and Mrs. Mae Kreiger low.

Misses Caroline and Esther Hickey drove to Normal Wednesday and were accompanied home by their niece, Miss Bulea Schell who had been attending at Illinois State Normal University.

Miss Bernadine Flannagan who has been instructor in Latin and English in the Ohio high school for the past three years, tendered her resignation to the school board last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Elgin spent the week end with Mrs. Elgin's mother, Mrs. Frances Parsons and were accompanied home by Mrs. Parsons who will visit in Peoria for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Balcom were dinner guests Thursday of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kinne in Brookfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ewalt and daughter Sylvia are spending the week end with Miss Irene Brian in Huntley.

Mrs. Maude Blanchard has returned home from a six weeks visit in Mendota.

Clyde Sisler and daughter Virginia of Aurora spent the week end at the George Sisler home.

Mrs. Harry Moore and daughters Eva and Rae and Miss Beatrice Boyd were Dixon visitors Tuesday afternoon.

Miss Ethel McGann returned home from the Perry Memorial hospital in Princeton Saturday afternoon where she has been a patient for the past few weeks.

A reception was held Thursday evening at the Ohio opera house

Walton were Amboy callers Monday morning.

A number of Amboy folks attended the chicken dinner in Harmon on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Strauss entertained relatives from Polo on Sunday evening.

Amboy enjoyed a good rain on Monday afternoon, several inches falling in a couple of hours. This is the first rain of any amount for quite some time.

Tax Officials Seek Removals of Barriers

Chicago, Aug. 13.—(AP)—A group of tax experts discussed today a proposed uniform law for taxing interstate sales in states which have respective sales taxes.

The meeting was called by John Hendren, attorney for the Missouri state sales tax department and chairman of the committee on uniform sales tax regulations of the National Association of Tax Administrators.

Committeemen included Fred C. McClurg, chief counsel of the Indiana gross income tax division; Samuel Herman, supervisor of the rules and regulations division, Illinois department of finance; John H. Mulrooney, assistant attorney general of Iowa, and Lester Ponder of the Arkansas department of revenue.

Business and manufacturing representatives offered their views to the committee yesterday. Hendren said the aim of the proposal was to create uniform regulation as a means of eliminating interstate trade barriers.

For Rev. Buckley, newly appointed pastor of the Church of the Immaculate Conception.

Mrs. Cora Barkman spent a few days last week at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Manning Barkman in Freeport.

Francis O'Brien passed away Sunday morning at his home in East Grove township, Lee county, after a long illness.

Dr. and Mrs. J. M. O'Malley and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Balcom attended the races at Washington Park Saturday.

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